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MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT

SPECIAL COMMUNICATION SENT TO CONGRESS BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE TODAY.

TALKS STRAIGHT FROM SHOULDER

Defend's Administration's Policy in Fighting Illegal Acts of Corporations and Answers Attacks That Have Been Made.

Washington, Jan. 31.—At the noon hour today congress received from President Roosevelt a special message dealing with present conditions and reviewing some of the acts of his administration.

The message, which was read to both houses, makes especial references to the subjects of the employers' liability act and injunction in labor cases.

The message in full follows:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The recent decision of the supreme court in regard to the employers' liability act, the experience of the interstate commerce commission and of the department of justice in enforcing the interstate commerce and antitrust laws, and the gravely significant attitude toward the law and its administration recently adopted by certain heads of great corporations, render it desirable that there should be additional legislation as regards certain of the relations between labor and capital, and between the great corporations and the public.

The supreme court has decided the employers' liability law to be unconstitutional because its terms apply to employers wholly in interstate commerce as well as to employers engaged in interstate commerce. By a substantial majority the court holds that the congress has power to deal with the question in so far as interstate commerce is concerned.

As regards the employers' liability law, I advocate its immediate reenactment, limiting its scope so that it shall apply only to the class of cases to which the court says it can constitutionally apply, but strengthening its provisions within this scope. Interstate employment being thus covered by an adequate national law, the field of intrastate employment will be left to the action of the several states. With this clear definition of responsibility the states will undoubtedly give to the performance of their duty within their field the consideration the importance of the subject demands.

For Government Employees Also.

I also urgently advise that a comprehensive act be passed providing for compensation by the government to all employees injured in the government service. Under the present law an injured workman in the employment of the government has no remedy, and the entire burden of the accident falls on the helpless man, his wife, and his young children. This is a matter of humiliation to the nation that there should be on our statute books provision to meet and partially to atone for cruel misfortune when it comes upon a man through no fault of his own while faithfully serving the public. In no other prominent industrial country in the world could such gross injustice occur; for almost all civilized nations have enacted legislation embodying the complete recognition of the principle which places the entire trade risk for industrial accidents (excluding, of course, accidents due to willful misconduct by the employee) on the industry as represented by the employer, which in this case is the government. In all these countries the principle applies to the government just as much as to the private employer. Under no circumstances should the injured employee or his surviving dependents be required to bring suit against the government, nor should there be the requirement that in order to insure recovery negligence in some form on the part of the government should be shown. Our proposition is not to confer a right of action upon the government employee, but to secure him suitable provision against injuries received in the course of his employment. The burden of the trade risk should be placed upon the government. Exactly as the workman is entitled to his wages, so he should be entitled to indemnity for the injuries sustained in the natural course of his labor. The rates of compensation and the regulations for its payment should be

specified in the law, and the machinery for determining the amount to be paid should in each case be provided in such manner that the employee is properly represented without expense to him. In other words, the compensation should be paid automatically, while the application of the law in the first instance should be vested in the department of commerce and labor. The law should apply to all laborers, mechanics, and other civilian employees of the government of the United States, including those in the service of the Panama canal commission and of the insular governments.

The same broad principle which should apply to the government should ultimately be made applicable to all private employers. Where the

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HAD HEADON COLLISION

IT OCCURRED ON THE M., K. & T. AT FREEMAN, CASS COUNTY, THIS MORNING.

FIREMAN JOHN BOND LOST ONE FOOT

Brakeman J. C. Ragsdale and Engine Watchman A. Ambrose Were Also Injured—Split Switch Caused the Trouble.

A head-end collision, in which one man had his foot cut off and two other men were painfully injured, occurred at Freeman, Mo., a station on the High Line of the Katy, at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

Train No. 452, in charge of Conductor Creagan, with Engineer Bour in the cab of engine No. 211, ran through an open switch onto the siding at the west end of the house track at Freeman, colliding headon with engine No. 202, which was standing on the house track.

John Bond, fireman on engine No. 211, had his left foot crushed so badly that amputation will be necessary and his condition this afternoon is very critical, while J. C. Ragsdale, brakeman on the train, sustained painful, though not serious, injuries, as did also A. Ambrose, an engine watchman, who was guarding engine No. 202.

The pilots of both locomotives were demolished, also portions of the front end of each engine.

The wrecking crew, in charge of Supt. Finney, was sent from this city and cleared the track after one hour's work.

The injured men were brought to the company hospital in this city. Mr. Bond, the injured fireman, is a married man, and resides at 1106 South Osage street. He is well and favorably known in Sedalia, and united with the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, during the recent revival services conducted by Rev. Andrews, the evangelist.

Ernie Bond, a brother of John, had his left leg cut off near the hip by a Missouri Pacific train in Kansas less than a year ago, and a suit for \$25,000 damages is now pending against the company.

HAS QUIT THE M., K. & T.

John W. Conner, for Sixteen Years With the Company.

J. W. Conner, for sixteen years a valued employee of the Katy, and during most of that time commercial agent in this city, has resigned, effective February 1.

L. W. Mosher, traveling freight agent for the company at Parsons, Kas., succeeds him.

Mr. Conner entered the employ of the M., K. & T. on October 1, 1891. During his sixteen years service he has filled the positions of freight agent in this city, local contracting agent, traveling freight agent and later commercial agent.

He has a good proposition under consideration and will possibly accept.

Charlie McEniry Doing Well.

Charles McEniry, who was operated on for rupture, is doing very nicely today and passed one of the best nights last night he has had since the operation was performed.

Amateur Night Tonight.

Tonight is amateur night at the unique theater and Manager Hoxie says he has six contestants entered for the event.

\$100,000 WAS NOT TAXED

PETTIS COUNTY MONEY THAT IS LOANED IN THE NEAR-BY COUNTIES

IS NOT GIVEN IN FOR ASSESSMENT

County Assessor Brown Has Finished His Work in Johnson, Henry, Cooper, Lafayette and Saline Counties.

County Assessor C. D. Brown returned last night from a business visit in Lafayette county, and leaves next week for Benton county on the same kind of work.

Recently the judges of the county court ordered Assessor Brown to visit surrounding counties and ascertain if there is not considerable Pettis county money loaned to residents of other counties, and which is not included in the assessment of Pettis county residents.

Mr. Brown, up to date, has completed his work in Johnson, Henry, Cooper, Lafayette and Saline counties, and found that almost \$100,000 of Pettis county money is loaned out to residents of other counties, and which money is not included in this county's assessments.

Regarding Mr. Brown's visit in Cooper county, the Pilot Grove Record says:

The assessor of Pettis county was searching the mortgage records of Cooper county the fore part of the week, trying to learn whether or not some capitalists of his county have money loaned to citizens of this (Cooper) county, secured by mortgages or deeds of trust which they have not been accounting for in their personal assessment lists.

It is said that his researches were not in vain, having found almost \$26,000 of such money in the name of one citizen alone of that county.

MALE MEMBERS' MEETING

Resolutions Complimentary to the Pastor and Press.

A large attendance of the male members of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, met at the church parlors last night to discuss the history of the church and formulate plans for future work in its upbuilding.

The attendance was very large and entirely satisfactory. Before adjournment the members adopted resolutions commending the pastor, Rev. J. F. Caskey, for his excellent work in upbuilding the church and thanking the local press for courtesies extended in the matter of publications in the interest of the church.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE

It Will Be Held at Broadway Presbyterian Church.

Annual Christian Endeavor day will be fittingly observed at the Broadway Presbyterian church next Sabbath evening. There will be a special program by the young people at 6:30, followed by the church service with the young people in charge, when the pastor, Rev. D. M. Claggett, will preach a sermon on "Young People and the Church."

The music will be led by a large orchestra of eight pieces. Mr. Ora Wood and Miss Majors will sing a duet. There will be a special voluntary by the orchestra and an anthem by the church choir. Services especially for young people and all interested in young people.

ISAAC ANDERSON DEAD

He Was One of the Pioneer Baptists of Pettis County.

Isaac Anderson, one of the pioneers of Pettis county, died at 1 o'clock this morning at his home, ten miles southeast of Sedalia, of a gripple, aged 86 years.

Mr. Anderson was born in Virginia in 1822, but came to Missouri in early manhood and settled on the farm where he died.

A daughter, Mrs. Lucinda Mosby, two sons, R. P. and P. R. Anderson, and several grandchildren and great grandchildren survive.

Mr. Anderson was a life-long Baptist, and the burial services will be conducted at the Flat Creek Baptist church at 11 o'clock tomorrow forenoon by the Rev. R. F. Driskell.

Box Party for "Man of the Hour."

Among those who will occupy box seats at the Saturday matinee for "The Man of the Hour" will be Messrs. James Edwards, of Jefferson City; Russell Greiner, of Kansas City; George Hoffman, Hugh Muir, George H. Scruton, Pearl Baird Poteet, W. H. Cloney, C. Kelly Barnes, N. J. Finney, C. W. Flower and Homer McElhinney.

Saxton Not Yet Arrested.

Thomas Saxton, the negro alleged to be guilty of murder at Fort Scott, Kas., is slowly improving from the amputation of both feet at the city hospital. Up to date he has not been arrested, as the attending physicians forbids outsiders to enter the patient's room.

JURY NOW HAS THE CASE

EVIDENCE IN ARGUMENTS MADE AND JUDGE'S CHARGE DELIVERED IN THAW CASE.

PRISONER NOW AWAITS HIS FATE

Jury Asked for All Exhibits in the Proceedings and Retired to Their Room at 11:40 O'clock This Morning.

New York, Jan. 31.—The case of Harry K. Thaw, charged with the murder of Stanford White, was given to the jury at 11:40 this morning, Justice Dowling having finished his charge five minutes earlier. The jury took with them all the exhibits in the case.

The defendant listened intently to the judge's charge, and the fact that the jury desired all the exhibits is taken to indicate that they may be some time in their deliberations.

Mrs. William Thaw, her son, Josiah, her daughter, Mrs. George Carnegie, and Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, the prisoner's wife, were all in the room when the judge's charge was read.

After the jury retired Mrs. William Thaw visited her son for a time in the prisoner's room, just outside the court chamber, and then left the court house. Young Mrs. Thaw remained to await any news that might come from the court room.

Justice Dowling, in his charge, said, in part:

"Your verdict must not be influenced by any matter outside the record, and your sole function is to determine if any crime has been committed, and if committed, its grade, and to leave the question of penalty to those responsible for its imposition."

'T WAS ALL PURE FUN

Miss Osterman and Miss Belmont Pleased Everybody.

"The Girl Who Looks Like Me," with Kathryn Osterman and Anna Belmont in the leading roles, was the attraction at the Sedalia theater last night and was witnessed by a good audience of the most appreciative theater goers of the city.

The comedy—for it is a comedy pure and simple—was by far the best that has been in Sedalia for many seasons. Of course, as in all the plays of this sort, the real humor depends almost entirely upon those who give the interpretation, as situations, which in artistic hands are deliciously funny, would if presented by people of ordinary ability simply be grotesque.

Miss Osterman and Miss Belmont, however, together with most of their support, were fully equal to the occasion and gave their auditors an evening of real enjoyment and, what added much to the pleasure, seemed to enjoy themselves also.

Those who remained away last night missed much, and if ever "The Girl Who Looks Like Me" plays a return engagement with these same two sisters in the cast, no one should fail to see it if they wish to increase their longevity.

Bishop to Meet Vestry.

Bishop E. R. Atwill, who will be here Sunday to confirm a class of eight at Calvary Episcopal church, will meet the vestry at the conclusion of the morning service for an informal discussion of matters pertaining to the parish.

TWO REWARDS OFFERED

FOR ARREST AND CONVICTION OF MURDERERS IN PETTIS COUNTY.

CASES OF WAGNER AND ARNOLD

Gov. Folk, on Behalf of the State, Offers \$200 Reward in Each Instance—Some Still Think Wagner Suicided.

Governor Folk yesterday offered a reward of \$200 for the arrest and conviction of the unknown murderer of Thomas Wagner, a former Katv shopman, whose dead body was found on a vacant lot near Johnson street and Ohio avenue several weeks ago, and also a reward of \$200 for the arrest and conviction of the unknown murderer of Charles Arnold, a negro, whose dead body was found near the Missouri Pacific station at Hughesville several months ago.

On Tuesday Prosecuting Attorney Dow made a visit at the state capital and asked the governor if he would offer a reward for the murderer of each man.

Today a letter was received from Hal Woodside, secretary to the governor, stating that Mr. Folk had complied with the request.

Some of the local officials are still of the opinion that Wagner committed suicide, as when his body was found a revolver was also lying beside the corpse.

As to Arnold, all of the indications pointed to foul play, but every clue was run down, and, finally, when the suspected person was arrested, he partially proved an alibi and later disappeared.

DESERTER IS DISCHARGED

Liberated at the Request of Mayor Collins Today.

Luther Reinart, the confessed deserter from the United States navy, and jail breaker from the city calaboose, has been liberated by Chief of Police Boult, at the request of Mayor Collins, who says Reinart is not mentally responsible for his actions.

Reinart was arrested by Officer Card several weeks ago for deserting the navy. He admitted being a deserter, saying that one day, shortly before he deserted, one of his naval companions, gave him a thorough cursing, remarking that he was good for nothing and might just as well run away.

Reinart followed the advice and left immediately afterwards. When incarcerated in the city calaboose he broke jail by effecting an entrance through the calaboose ceiling into the police court room.

MR. PATRICK'S HARD FALL

Slipped on the Ice at His Home on West Fourth Street.

J. W. Patrick, one of Sedalia's oldest citizens, fell at his home, 720 West Fourth street, at 7:20 o'clock this morning, and sustained painful and perhaps serious injuries. Dr. Overstreet attended him.

Mr. Patrick, who is 68 years old, was preparing to leave home. Just as he stepped out on the front porch he slipped and fell. His body was badly bruised, but the principal injury was in his back.

TWO DWELLINGS BURNED

No One Appears to Know How the Fire Originated.

Two small dwellings at the northern limit of Washington avenue, one of which was owned and occupied by Will Williams, colored, were totally destroyed by fire, the origin of which is unknown, at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

The firemen responded to the call promptly, but on arriving at the scene discovered both dwellings in ashes.

No one in the neighborhood seemed able to tell who occupied the second house or any cause for the fire.

The loss is estimated at \$700.

Came Home With Husband.

Mrs. John Bond, wife of the Katy fireman, who had his left foot amputated in a wreck at Freeman last night, went to Holden this morning and returned home on the noon train, in company with her husband.

Old Settlers Meet Saturday.

The Pettis County Old Settlers' association will meet in regular session at Dr. R. T. Miller's office tomorrow. The time of meeting will possibly be changed and several candidates for membership will be admitted.

A Cold Wave Tonight.

Rain, turning to snow, tonight or Saturday; decidedly colder; cold wave west portion tonight and east portion Saturday; high wind, turning to northwest.

No Issue of Rosa Pearle's Paper.

Owing to the illness of Miss Lizzie Dugan, editor, and Miss Alice Dugan, associate editor, there will be no issue of Rosa Pearle's Paper tomorrow afternoon.

WRECKING OF THEATERS

BUILDING COMMISSIONER IS TO GET BUSY IN ST. LOUIS ON SUNDAY.

IS GOING AFTER THE NICKELODEONS

The Claim Is Made That the Picture Shows in the Mound City Are Not Complying With the State Safety Laws.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 31.—There will be a diversion not down on the bills at fifteen nickelodeon theaters Sunday night if attempts are made to give stage performances there as heretofore.

Building Commissioner Smith will arm fifteen of his deputies with axes and send them out to wreck stages in these places of entertainment.

No official warning will be given and the proprietors will have no power to resist, as the law gives the building inspector a right to demolish any feature of a place of public entertainment which violates the building code.

Commissioner Smith holds that the maintenance of a stage on which daily performances are given for money constitutes a theater, and he alleges that none of the fifteen nickelodeons which have stages is complying with the regulations as to safety.

Of the 104 nickelodeons in St. Louis, the majority have no stages, but the commissioner says that most of them are violating the law by having more than ninety-nine chairs.

The inspectors sent out Sunday night will be empowered to pull from their fastenings, all chairs in excess of that number which they find in any of the places, and to force all above 99 persons at any one performance to leave the building.

GIVES UP THE "KEY"

Frank Brown Retires as Dispatcher for the M., K. & T.

Frank E. Brown, for fifteen years a train dispatcher for the M., K. & T., for ten years dispatcher in this city and one of the best men in the west to handle a key, has tendered his resignation, effective at once, and at an early date contemplates engaging in business with his brother in this city.

Joseph Walsh, a well known train dispatcher with Parsons, also a good man in the business, succeeds Mr. Brown and arrived here this morning to familiarize himself with the division.

BURIED MONEY FOUND

Belonged to Robber Who Killed Himself in Wisconsin.

New London, Wis., Jan. 31.—Louis Hoffman, a farmer residing on Nordman Hill, two miles south of this city, has discovered buried treasure estimated at \$30,000 under a tree in his orchard.

The discovery was made several weeks ago, but has been kept secret until now. Where the money came from is a mystery, although a clue has been obtained.

Some time ago a stranger, giving his name as Harry Palmer, of Chicago, obtained work on the farm. Palmer disappeared later on. Harry Palmer was arrested in Chicago on a charge of robbery. While in jail the man committed suicide.

OLENDORF BUYS GROUND

DEAL HAS BEEN CLOSED FOR AN AIRDOME AT CAPITAL OF THE STATE.

W. J. EDWARDS BE LOCAL MANAGER

Well Known Theatrical Magnate Secures Old Methodist Church Site on Main Street in Jefferson City for Theater.

A deal was closed last night for the erection of a summer theater in Jefferson City, says the Jefferson City Democrat. George F. Olendorf, the well known theatrical magnate, and former lessee of the Jefferson theater, has leased the property on Main street, now occupied by the old M. E. church, North, just back of the Madison hotel, for the erection of an airdome or summer theater.

The work of tearing down the present building will be started Monday. Mr. Olendorf was here last night and closed the deal for the work to commence immediately.

The papers for the lease have been signed by Ber Vieth, owner of the Main street property, and everything is in ship-shape for actual work to begin.

W. J. Edwards, of this city, will be the local manager of the airdome, and that means that only first-class plays will be tolerated.

The building to be erected, while only for summer plays, will cost \$3,000 and will be one of the finest of its kind in the state.

The owners of the Jefferson City house who are connected with Mr. Olendorf in the deal own houses throughout Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma, and have a circuit that gives them control of the best companies on the road.

Plays will be given every night in the week except Sunday by first class companies and the prices will be so low that everyone can attend. Mr. Olendorf said to the Democrat:

"I like Jefferson City for a show town and know that her people appreciate good plays, and that is the kind I am going to give the city."

"You can depend upon it that the shows presented will be fit for everybody to attend, because I know my people."

The airdome will be opened the first part of May and will continue until the latter part of September.

YOUNG WOMAN SHOWED ANKLE

Did It Under Protest in Presence of an Ohio Jury.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 31.—Despite her plea that modesty forbade such an exhibition, Mrs. Julia Yarik, of No. 24 Berg street, South East, was compelled to submit her ankle to the scrutiny of twelve men jurors in the court of Judge Strimple yesterday. But the judge considered her feelings to the extent that he had the jurymen escorted into his private chambers, where Mrs. Yarik exposed the ankle she asserted was injured to the extent of \$2,000 because of a faulty sidewalk, for which she blames the city in her suit.

"I can't do that," said Mrs. Yarik, when called upon to exhibit her ankle. "It wouldn't be modest."

The judge perused authorities over night and issued the fateful order. Mrs. Yarik protested, so did her attorney, but it did not good.

KANSAS CITY "STAR" APPEALS

Julian Libel Suit to Be Carried to U. S. Supreme Court.

Jefferson City, Jan. 31.—Presiding Judge Gantt, of the supreme court, has granted an appeal to the supreme court of the United States in the libel suit of Henry P. Julian, of Kansas City, against the Kansas City Star.

A judgment for \$15,000 in favor of Julian was recently affirmed by the state supreme court, two judges dissenting.

One of the important principles involved in the suit is the right of a person suing a newspaper corporation to bring suit in any county in which the newspaper circulates. It is the contention of the Star that the suit must be brought in the county in which the newspaper is published.

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TOMORROW'S ROAD ELECTION.

Tomorrow the question of extending the rock road district will be decided, and the action taken, whether for or against, will mean to a very great extent whether or not Pettis county will advance along the well defined lines of progress or take a step backward toward the primitive ways of the long ago.

It is well to remember that if the district is extended it does not and can not increase the present rate of taxation. The rate now fixed provides for the building of these roads within the limits now fixed, and the extension means only that the area will be increased, thus bringing to a larger territory the great benefits now enjoyed by those within the present improvement zone.

The duty of taking advantage of this opportunity for more and better thoroughfares rests with every voter in the county, and they can not be too strongly urged to do their part at the polls tomorrow.

RAILROADS AND THE REFORM MANIA.

The vice president and general manager of the Union Pacific is quoted as attributing the heavy reduction in the company's working force to President Roosevelt's "mania for reform," and to have said that the retrenchment will continue so long as the activity against corporations is kept up.

Such statements are purely. Railroad officials ought to have better judgment than to make them. They know that the public does not believe one word of such nonsense. Furthermore, they know that they are not speaking the truth when they charge that the present depression which has affected temporarily the nation's commerce is due to "attacks on corporations." It may be that the railroads are deliberately assisting cliques of powerful financiers, opposed to a law enforcement policy, to bring about dull times, but that as an economic proposition regulation of corporations has this effect nobody with an ounce of sense believes for an instant.

There has been no "attack" on corporations, railroads or any other legitimate business. The attack has been upon their unlawful and pernicious methods and not upon the business itself. If we are to have industrial and commercial ruin because railroads are not allowed to give rebates, to flood favorites with passes and practice discrimination against shippers, then the sooner we go through the ordeal and reorganize our transportation system on different lines the better for the country.

It is foolish and silly for railroad officials to wall against government control of commercial highways, for the era which is bringing about this condition is here to stay and

stay forever, unless further rashness by the railroads force the people to adopt some radical means for protection. Not only this, but regulation of all corporations by the state or national government is here to stay. If the railroads have allowed themselves to be led into a plot of Wall street financiers with shady reputations for the injury of business they are making a gravemistake. The best thing they can do is to use their influence towards bringing about normal conditions as rapidly as possible, for the country knows that there is no more reason for panics in the midst of prosperity than there is for snowstorms in July.

WILL BE AN IMPORTANT SESSION

On Wednesday the British parliament assembled in what promises to be the crucial session of the Bannerman administration. Since the liberal premier came into power his party has not met with success in legislation that opportunities seemed to offer or that its top-heavy majority seemed to assure. It has sustained defeat on a number of its most important measures, conspicuously the Irish council bill and the measure to amend the objectionable educational act. True, these reverses have come principally through hostility of the house of lords, but the ministry has not been strong enough, or at least it has not felt itself strong enough to bring to a head the smoldering issue between common-law lords over their respective powers and prerogatives. Partly because of a combination of unfavorable circumstances, which included the early alienation of the nationalists, and partly because of maladroit presentation of liberal policies, especially that relating to home rule, the government has been growing weaker and weaker until it is now a question if, upon a serious defeat in the house and appeal to the country, it would be sustained. This, however, is in line with the fixed fate that seems to pursue the liberal party, which is that notwithstanding its principles appeal to the great body politic of England, it can only briefly hold the confidence of the people when in power.

The leading matters to come up before the session are those relating, strangely enough, to temperance and Irish affairs. The liquor fight is being waged in Great Britain with the same intensity that marks its progress in the United States. The measure proposed by the government is not radical. From the licensing standpoint it is radical, because it provides that within a specified period all such privileges shall cease, after which a form of local option is to prevail.

There are a number of important bills to be acted upon affecting Ireland, including the universities and grazing lands measures, old age pensions, a renewed attempt to amend the education act, the eight hour day and one or two other questions, in which the labor party is interested complete the legislative program. Female suffrage stands no show.

PRECIOUS STONES, AND "PASTE."

Imitations Now Can Only Be Detected by Experts.

Glass or "paste," as it is called, is made which cannot when new be distinguished from diamonds by any one but an expert armed with the necessary tests. And the same is true as to paste imitations of all precious stones excepting the emerald (whose beautiful green tint cannot be exactly obtained), the cat's-eye, which has a peculiar fibrous structure, and the opal. The real value and quality of precious stones as compared with glass depends on their durability, their hardness, their resistance to scratching and "dulling," of face and edge. Even our Anglo-Saxon ancestors, as I saw a week ago in the fine collection recently dug up at Ipswich by Miss Layard, made gems of glass and paste, says a writer in the London Telegraph. It is only in modern times that the art of making artificial "precious stones" had reached a degree of perfection which, so far as decorative purposes are concerned, leaves the natural stones no claim to superiority.

If a cough once gets into your system it acts on every muscle and fibre of the body and makes you ache all over. It especially affects the intestines and makes you constipated, so in order to get rid of a cold thoroughly and without delay you should not take anything that will tend to constipate. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates—it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

Departed for Boonville.

Kathryn Osterman in "The Girl Who Looks Like Me," and troupe, who appeared at the Sedalia theater last night, went to Boonville this morning. The attraction was one of the cleverest that has appeared here this season.

OYSTERS

Extra fine, fresh oysters, direct from Maryland, pint, 20c; quart, 40c.
Fresh channel cat fish, red snapper, black bass, dressed crappie and jack salmon for Friday.
Smoked sardines in olive oil, 18 to 22 fish in can; 2 cans.....25c

EGG PLUMS

and green gage plums in heavy syrup; plums extra large; the most delicious you ever tasted; Richieu brand; large No. 3 cans.....30c

RED SWEET

Potatoes, fine celery, lettuce, beautiful cauliflower, round radishes, green onions, fresh spinach—all fresh and fine.

OUR GOLDEN

Roast is a fine blend that takes the place of ordinary so-called Java & Mocha 30c coffee. Phone your orders. Try ours today. Per lb.....25c

HICKS THE GROCER

Ladies Gave a Euchre.

At yesterday afternoon's euchre given by the ladies of Sacred Heart church the first prize, a handsome cut glass bowl, was won by Mrs. Henry R. Pehling, while Mrs. George P. Otterdoff won the second prize, a hand painted plate. The ladies served refreshments of ham sandwiches, pickles, cake and coffee. The next euchre will be given February 13.

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Valda Items

Mrs. A. M. Boyd returned home Sunday, after a five weeks' visit with relatives at St. Louis and Petersburg, Ill.

Mr. Will Reavis, of Lamonte, visited Valda friends Sunday.

Mrs. Lon Hill and little daughter came out on the train Sunday and attended services at Bethlehem, and took dinner with Valda friends.

Mrs. Allie Coons, formerly Miss Allie Austin, and little son, and her brother, Mr. Broadus Austin, all of near Clinton, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Elmer Botts.

Rev. Chappell, of Liberty, preached to a crowded house Sunday.

Mrs. P. S. Warren and sons visited Mrs. J. P. Warren yesterday.

Mr. Warren G. Stephens, who has been quite sick, has been removed to 216 Lamine street, Sedalia, where he will remain until he is fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine son at their home one day last week.

Mr. Robert Anderson's family are all getting along nicely, after having the measles.

CALF ENTERED AN OBJECTION.

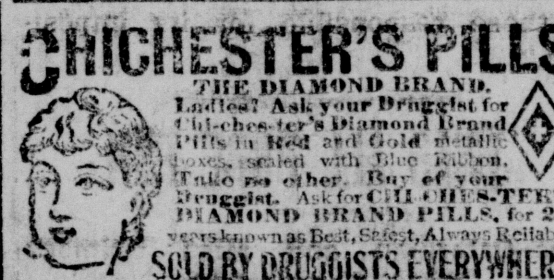
Why One Milking Machine Was Never Put on the Market.

Inventive genius seldom achieves success at the first attempt. A half-grown boy in Pennsylvania, who had devoted his leisure hours for many months to the making of a milking machine of his own devising, at last completed it to his satisfaction and resolved to make a trial of it. Without saying a word to anyone he carried his machine down from the attic, where he had wrought patiently day after day to bring it to perfection, and took it out to the barnyard, where old Cherry, the family cow, stood placidly chewing her cud with her big, lusty calf playing round her. A few minutes later his mother saw him trying to re-enter the house unseen. He was covered with dirt from head to foot and in a state of demoralization generally. In his hand he was carrying something that looked like the wreck of a toy battleship. "For mercy's sake, Jud," she exclaimed, "what have you been doing?" "I've been trying my milking machine on the cow," he said. "Your milking machine! Good land! Did the cow do all that to you?" "No," answered Jud. "Old Cherry would have stood for it all right. It was the calf that—er—kind of seemed to object to the machine."—Youth's Companion.

MISS BERTHA BARTON,
PIANO TEACHING.
523 WEST SEVENTH ST.

High Character Counts.

High character counts in this, as in all other communities. A good man dies in the prime of life, and in the midst of multifarious activities, and the representative men of the city hasten to show their appreciation of his life-work, for no man of brains and conscience works merely for himself. He helps build up the community, and raises the standard of conduct for all other men.—Mexican Herald.



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FREAK PLAYS IN ROYAL GAME.

Records on Golf Grounds Very Much Out of the Ordinary.

On one occasion a player handicapped himself to the extent of playing all his shots with one leg held up, and the only crumb of satisfaction that some people can get out of the story is that the man missed nearly every shot and lost his wager. Also, who has not heard of men trying to play with one eye covered up, others who have had but one club against the full set used by their opponents, and others who have agreed to put with nothing but their umbrellas? On one occasion a golfer played a round with a champagne bottle against a man who had all his clubs, and it is a sad thing to know that it is on record that the man with the champagne bottle won! There are said to be various Scots who have driven balls off the face of expensive watches without at the same time driving the faces off the watches, and an American variation of this form of golf freakishness, as practiced with much success on one occasion, was to drive a ball off the top of a hen's egg, which had been dented at one end to make it hold the ball, but not otherwise damaged.



321 Ohio Street. Bell Phone 735

CRUDE METHODS OF SPINNING.

Which Were Long in Displacing the Spindle and Distaff.

The invention of the art of spinning was ascribed by the ancients to Minerva, the goddess of wisdom; says a writer in The Housekeeper. The date, 1500 B. C., is given as that of the beginning of the art in Greece, under the direction of the king of Arcadia, but pictured inscriptions on Egyptian monuments show that the use of the spindle and distaff was known in that country much earlier. The first distaff was simply a stick, around which the fiber to be spun was loosely coiled, held in the left hand; the spindle was a sort of top set in motion by a twirl of the hand, the fiber passing between the finger and thumb of the right hand. This invention was improved upon in the course of time by placing the spindle in a frame and making it revolve by mechanical action of the hand or foot in connection with a wheel or treadle—thus giving the true spinning wheel. The first recorded use of this was in the early years of the sixteenth century, but it was probably made and used long before this. The first spinning jenny, a machine working eight spindles, was invented in 1767.

Scotch Collie Pups for Sale—Two and a half months old; sire and dam pedigreed and registered. Apply 1315 South Ohio. Bell phone 139.

REPARTEE OF THE JUVENILES.

Washington Children in Smart Exchange of Compliments.

Evidently there was a severance of friendly relations between two of a group of small girls who a minute before had been romping about the sward in Dupont Circle, for just as the writer approached the daughter of a southern legislator called out to her small companion from the west: "The girl with the red dress on is a cowgirl!" The girl with the red dress on is a cowgirl!" Again and again the taunting challenge was hurled at the red-frocked western maid, who finally, with one supreme effort at self-control, retorted: "Oh very well, then, the girl who is a hollerin' is a sheep! I'd sooner be a cowgirl than a sheep, 'cause the president is fond of cowboys and cowgirls, but not even a secretary likes a sheep!"

It depends upon the pill you take. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills known for constipation and sick headache. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

No Wonder.

They were talking about the children in the building and how they played in the halls and what a nuisance they were. "My boy isn't like that," remarked the flat dweller in the front apartment. "He never makes any trouble. He never plays in the halls." Presently her boy came in. He was 14 only, but he was six feet and one inch tall.—N. Y. Press

If You Knew

The merits of Texas Wonder, you would never suffer from kidney, bladder or rheumatic trouble, \$1 bottle two months' treatment, sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co. Testimonials with each bottle.

CHAS. D. BROWN'S MAILING LIST
Chas. D. Brown's mailing list of the city of Sedalia and Pettis county can be found on sale at West's book store.

For Rent—One furnished room for two. 525 East Fourth street.

Good Storage rooms and large moving vans. Household goods packed, shipped and stored.—Huston Transfer Co. Phones 157.

ON THE DOT
With Bargains

The big shoe sale is offering the following Bargains at Dollar Saving Prices

Ladies' Fur Top Felt Slippers, 75c
Regular Price \$1.25

Misses' & Children's Box Calf, Lace Shoes, 75c and \$1.00
Regular Price \$1.25 to \$2.00

Ladies' Everyday Shoes, Heavy or Light Soles, \$1.50
Regular Price \$2.00 and \$2.25

Men's and Boys' Canvas Leggings 40c

MEN'S HATS, Soft or Stiff, \$1.00

THE HOUSE OF A 1000 BARGAINS

PEOPLES' SHOE STORE
204 OHIO STREET

Conducted Funeral Services.

Rev. F. Y. Campbell left this morning for Warrensburg, where at 1 o'clock this afternoon he officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Anna Dennis.

Advice to Mothers: Don't let your children waste away. Keep them strong and healthy during the winter with Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea. It is the greatest tonic for children. Pure and harmless, does the greatest good. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Mrs. Riley Is Ill.

Mrs. L. M. Riley, wife of a Missouri Pacific brakeman, is quite ill with a gripe at her home, 322 North Prospect avenue.

This is Worth Remembering.

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package. Sutherland Pharmacy.

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All business is based on confidence—a shorter word, faith—and this institution is fortunate in having secured, because it merited, the confidence of the community. You will do well to bring to us your savings and earnings, well assured that they will grow under our watchful care and cautious investment, so that you will be the gainer as the years go by.

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Washington Irving's Beautiful
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WHEN THEY ARE NOT WANTED.

Some People Seem to Have Faculty
for Unconsciously Butting-In.

"Have you ever noticed," said the melancholy man, "how it is the vocation of certain people to get in the way—to be around when they are not wanted? I suppose that if they were aware of their calling they would feel bad about it. But, as a matter of fact, they never are aware of it, and this, probably, explains why they keep at it. Take my brother-in-law, for instance. He has a marvelous faculty for turning up at inopportune moments. If we are going to have company to dinner we can surely count on a message from him asking whether it would be convenient for his wife and himself to drop in on us. If I am anticipating a quiet hour of reading in the evening it is ten to one that I'll hear his voice in the hall. Just as I am hastening to close up my office in the afternoon he is apt to come in and establish himself for a prolonged talk. Take a hint? Such men never take a hint. They are so obtuse that they don't see when their presence turns company into a crowd. They have not learned the art of effacing themselves on occasions, and they never will. You feel sorry for them at first, but sorrow soon changes to another sentiment."

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble—which are belching of gas, nausea, sour stomach, headache, irritability and nervousness. These are warnings that the stomach has been mistreated; it is doing too much work and it is demanding help from you. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

LOST HAIR RESTORED

Or money refunded (women only). Superfluous hairs and other blemishes permanently removed. Corns, ingrown nails, etc., treated. Shampooing and massage. Switches and other hair goods. L. C. Snell, dermatologist, 122 West Third street.

Meeting of the Barbers.

Barbers' local union No. 259 last night initiated T. O. Williams and installed its officers-elect. The following members of the finance com-

mittee were named: O. C. Palmer, H. A. Schmitt and H. Neighbors. Delegates to the Sedalia Federation of Labor were selected as follows: William Fraser, J. W. Settles, T. O. Williams, T. C. Caldwell and W. E. Salmon.

HOW TO PROLONG LIFE

Advice of Beloved Poet, Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes.

If there is one desire more strongly implanted in the human breast than another as we reach maturer years, that desire is to prolong life. Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes when asked how to live long replied: "Get a fatal disease and then take care of yourself."

We want to say to the people of Sedalia who are reaching maturer years if you feel you are not as strong as you used to be you need not get a fatal disease to prolong life, but keep the digestive organs in good condition, and the bodily tissues from wasting by taking our delicious cod liver and iron preparation, Vinol.

An Exception. "Children," observed the teacher, "you must not use the expression, 'Up against it.' It is slang." "Well," said a bright lad, "I saw an automobile go into a wall full tilt yesterday." "Yes, but we're talking about something else now." "But I was going to say," continued the lad, "if the machine wasn't up against it I'd like to know what."

John—What kind of tea do you like best? Priscilla—Go-tees, some, but Rocky Mountain Tea best. John—Why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea best? Priscilla—It speaks for itself. John. (Makes lovely complexions.) W. E. Bard Drug Co.

A STUDENT WAS OUSTED

THEN SIXTY-FIVE OF HIS COM-
PANIONS WENT OUT ON
STRIKE.

BURNED THE PRESIDENT IN EFFIGY

Youths Resent Alleged Remarks of
School's Head to Woman In-
structor—Incident of Recent
Fire at Bethany College.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 31—Frank Merryman, of St. Louis, was yesterday expelled from Bethany college for being one of the crowd of students which burned President T. E. Cramblett in effigy a few nights ago.

In addition to the St. Louis boy, the following were notified to leave: Edward Pritchard, Ohio; George Heitz, Virginia; John Jackson, Pennsylvania; T. N. Smith, Ohio; L. Robinson, West Virginia; C. B. Scott, West Virginia.

A few nights ago fire broke out in Philadelphia hall, the girls' dormitory, and for a few hours excitement reigned.

There was a panic among the inmates of the hall, and the girls ran into the chilly night air in their night gowns.

During the fire the students who have been expelled claim that the head of the college used insulting language to one of the women instructors.

This the boys resented, and went so far as to make a figure of straw, label it President Cramblett and burn it on the college campus, notwithstanding the fact that the president arrived on the scene soon after the fire was started and endeavored to prevent the demonstration.

Wednesday seven of the boy students were expelled, and yesterday seven more, including Merryman. When the rest of the school learned of the action taken by the faculty a mass meeting of students was held and an agreement was signed by sixty-five that unless the expelled students are taken back they would quit the school. There were no classes yesterday, the students being out on a strike.

Of Vital Importance.

No other organs of the body are so essential to good health as the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy so that they will strain out the impurities from the blood which is constantly passing through them. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of danger. Arlington Pharmacy.

Horn Long Imbedded in Tree.

A ram's horn that was imbedded in a tree 183 years ago is a curiosity that Janson Elder, a forester ranger living at Paisley, Ore., has discovered. While rambling in the woods in 1888 Elder came across a yellow pine tree in the base of which was imbedded the horn of a mountain sheep. He did not then have time to make a thorough investigation, but since he became a forest ranger he had occasion to go to cut down the tree. He took a section of the trunk containing the horn to Lakeview. The horn was a little to one side the center of the tree. It was not curled as are the horns of mountain sheep nowadays, but was almost straight. Counting the rings of growth, the tree was shown to be 213 years old. Outside of the horn were 183 rings, indicating the number of years that had elapsed since the mountain sheep was caught and held fast by the yellow pine. The horn was soaked with pitch. It is ten inches in diameter at the base and 30 inches long.

KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion is the result of a scientific combination of natural digestants with vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is the best remedy known today for dyspepsia, indigestion and all troubles arising from a disordered stomach. Take KODOL today. It is pleasant, prompt and thorough. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

Money—Money—Money

If you wish to borrow money on real estate or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate and loan man. 210 Ohio street, over Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

Again No Police Court.

Today was another one on which no cases were docketed in police court.

Two Unwelcome Visitors Here.

At this season la grippe and pneumonia cause more deaths than consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures la grippe coughs that may result in pneumonia over night. Do not take chances with a cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will quickly cure it. Arlington Pharmacy.

New Goods

Every day brings new goods for this progressive store. Attention is directed this week to our superb showing of

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We do not quote you cheap, trashy gingham which are dear at any price, as we do not handle this grade of goods—but new, first class goods, desirable because of the excellent patterns and good quality of goods.

See Our Windows for Advance Styles From the Largest Stock of Gingham in the City.

C. E. MESSERLY

Rev. Alton at Warsaw

Rev. Ben V. Alton has been secured by the members of the Warsaw M. E. church, South, for the remainder of the year, and will preach there the first Thursday after the second Sunday and the first Thursday after the fourth Sunday in each month.

How to Avoid Appendicitis.

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels, and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Arlington Pharmacy.

Runs by the Fire Boys.

A porter caught fire from an overheated stove at the home of J. C. Connor, 901 West Fourth street, at 6 o'clock last night, doing \$25 worth of damage.

At 9:15 o'clock last night the hose companies made a run to Tenth street and the M. K. & T. tracks, where some grass had caught fire, but no damage resulted.

Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and not itself a true disease. We think of Dyspepsia, Heartburn, and Indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific Nerve sickness—nothing else.

It was this fact that first correctly led Dr. Shoop in the creation of that now very popular Stomach Remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Going direct to the stomach nerves, alone brought that success and favor to Dr. Shoop and his Restorative. Without that original and highly vital principle, no such lasting accomplishments were ever to be had.

For stomach distress, bloating, biliousness, bad breath and sallow complexion, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—and see for yourself what it can and will do. We sell and cheerfully recommend.

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What's better than prunes is more prunes.

Large, fat ones—as big as apples—25c pound.

Not quite so large—just as good in flavor—20c pound.

Next size, fancy stock, 15c pound.

Just a little smaller, 12½c pound.

Very good prunes, 10c pound.

We have them in 25-lb boxes, and it will pay you big to buy them that way.

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MAGNETIC POLE LIVELY

CAPT. AMUNDSEN TELLS HOW IT
WAVERS AND WAYS OF THE
NETCHJILLIE.

VOYAGE IN LITTLE 70-TON SLOOP

An Interesting Lecture That Was Illustrated With Pictures Taken on a Truly Remarkable Trip.

Capt. Ronald Amundsen, who discovered the Northwest Passage, lectured last night in Carnegie hall upon his voyage in the little 70-ton sloop, the Gjoa, says the New York Times.

The lecture was illustrated with numerous pictures taken during the remarkable trip.

Captain Amundsen left Christiania on June 16, 1903, and at the opening of winter was at King William Land. He and his party remained there a couple of winters, and he began the magnetic observations which later led to the conclusion that the magnetic north pole is not at all stationary, but jumps about from place to place in a most erratic way. That was another discovery of his. Having made the Northwest Passage, the Gjoa anchored at San Francisco in the autumn of 1906.

The lecturer told a great deal about the family life of the Nechijillie Eskimo, mentioned by Sir James Ross, who tried to make the Northwest Passage in 1830. The lecturer said that in the Nechijillie home the wife allows the husband to do most of the talking when company is in the home.

Captain Amundsen still further horrified the audience by telling them that when a Nechijillie mother wishes to give her baby a bath she takes him out of the suspended hood at her back and follows the method used by a tabby cat in dressing her kitten. Suicide is not unknown with these Eskimos, he went on, and when they are sick they consider it better to kill themselves than to suffer extreme pain.

The customary ceremony is as follows, explained Captain Amundsen: A hide string is stretched across the house a few inches above the floor. All of the family solemnly retire to the outside, leaving the sick person within. But there are peep holes, and through these they watch him. He gets up and bends down over the string, trying to force his throat so hard upon it that he is strangled. If the peepers outside decide that he is not getting along as fast as he should they kindly go in and help him strangle himself.

A Well Known Fact.

That no skin disease, whether from internal or external origin, can long withstand the two powerful germicides, ZEMO and ZEMOTONE; they destroy the germ that cause the disease; they always cure. Write for sample. E. W. Rose Med. Co., St. Louis. All druggists sell it. Sold by Dan Wilcox.

Invention as a Business.

Commenting on a recent article whose writer laments that more persons do not take up inventing as a regular business, the Electric Review (London) says: "We doubt whether inventing in the highest sense can be made a business to be learned by anybody. Inventors are born, not made. Our own country is not lacking in the divine inspiration, if we are to judge by the number of patents applied for; a different conclusion might be arrived at if we were to judge by the quality. America appears to be the special breeding ground of the inventor. The peculiar mixture of all races in that fortunate land appears to have produced a kind of superman who alone is capable of creating such diabolical inventions as the cash register and the automatic telephone exchange."

Do you have backache occasionally, or "stitches" in the side, and sometimes do you feel all tired out, without ambition and without energy? If so, your kidneys are out of order. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They promptly relieve backache, weak back, inflammation of the bladder and weak kidneys. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

GOING

At 10c apiece, enameled ware, regular prices 25c to 45c. Will be sold as long as they last at 10c apiece. Also all kinds of fresh and clean groceries at prices that are right. Call and get your bargains.—The Big Saw, 116 East Main street.

Off on a Day's Hunt.

H. V. Leis and Coby Bloch went to Rockville this morning for a day's hunt.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*

Menefee's Elective Lump Coal

Clean, Well Screened and Free From Slate. 2,000 Pounds of Satisfaction in Every Ton.

We Have on Hand a \$10,000 Stock of

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In order to raise money, we are making prices on case lots and quantities to merchants and customers at less than the wholesale cost For Cash.

20 lbs. best granulated sugar.....\$1.00	Best coal oil, per gal.....10c
10 lbs. best lard.....1.00	Best northern potatoes, per bu.....80c
White Ribbon or A No. 1 Otterville flour, per cwt.....\$2.35	Ground corn, 500-lb lots, per cwt.....\$1.05
Good hard wheat flour, per cwt.....\$2.25	Bran, 500-lb lots, per cwt.....\$1.10
Very best hard wheat flour, per cwt.....\$2.75	Shipstuf, 500-lb lots, per cwt.....\$1.20
1/4 bushel fresh ground meal.....30c	Corn, per bu.....50c
Fresh salt meat, per lb.....9c	Prairie hay, per bale.....40c
6 lbs best navy beans.....25c	Timothy hay, per bale.....50c
4 cans corn.....25c	Straw, per bale.....25c
Tomatoes, per can.....10c	Faded wood, per cord.....\$5.50
Best peas, per can.....10c	Cord wood, per cord.....\$4.75
Searchlight matches, per box.....3c	Nut, Kansas Lump and Nut and Illinois Lump and Nut coal and all grades of hard and soft coal. Prices right.
7 bars Diamond C soap.....25c	
3 lbs. prunes.....25c	

ELECTIVE LUMP COAL 2-TON LOTS, \$3.75 PER TON.

W. J. MENEFEE

400 WEST SECOND STREET.

PHONES 323.

Effect of Relaxation.

Dr. Long Mayhew Young of Chicago does not agree with us that sleeping on the front is good, says the New York Press. But he seems to be in his own mind an expert on relaxation. "In my opinion," he says, "the want of relaxation is the principal cause of insomnia. To produce relaxation we must first equalize the circulation of the blood. This is very often accomplished by sleeping with the knees up, which throws the blood into the lumbar region. The position is rather tiresome (I should say so!) and on stretching out the legs equalization and therefore relaxation takes place. For insomnia supervening upon nervousness I would advise taking some good, long breaths. When due to want of control of the thinking apparatus eat three or four ginger snaps (ten cents a pound), which will warm up the stomach and transfer the nervous energy to the solar plexus, or stomach brain."

FOUND TRUE REMEDY

W. E. Bard Drug Co. Sure Mi-o-na Will Cure Indigestion.

In no other way can you so quickly, so readily and so positively stimulate the stomach to good health as by using Mi-o-na. The W. E. Bard Drug Co. feel so sure that this remedy will restore health to every person suffering with stomach troubles that they sell it under a guarantee to refund the money unless it cures. This shows conclusively its superiority over the ordinary old-fashioned digestives.

The underlying cause of most nervous debility, headaches, sleeplessness and melancholy is faulty nutrition, the result of a weakened stomach and inactive bowels. Mi-o-na strengthens the stomach muscles, regulates the bowels and thus makes digestion easy and natural.

A 50-cent box of Mi-o-na lasts a couple of weeks, and will ward off a dozen attacks of indigestion and bring good health to the weakest stomach.

Had a Leg Fractured.

T. J. McCormick went to Pleasant Green today, called there by the illness of his brother-in-law, J. W. Edmondson, who sustained a fractured leg in a runaway accident yesterday.

CASTORIA.
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Merchants' Lunch.
At LeGrande's hotel, 12 o'clock, 25c. Lunch ticket good for 21 lunches \$4.50

Parties desiring experienced nurse call at 505 East Fourth street.

Liberty Park Skating Rink

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MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT

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nation has the power it should enact laws to this effect. Where the states alone have the power they should enact the laws. It is to be observed that an employers' liability does not really mean making employers in damages. It merely throws upon the employer the burden of accident insurance against injuries which are sure to occur. It requires him either to bear or to distribute through insurance the loss which can readily be borne when distributed, but which, if undistributed, bears with frightful hardship upon the unfortunate victim of accident. In theory, if wages were always freely and fairly adjusted, they would always include an allowance as against the risk of injury, just as certainly as the rate of interest for money includes an allowance for insurance against the risk of loss. In theory, if employees were all experienced business men, they would employ that part of their wages which is received because of the risk of injury to secure accident insurance. But, as a matter of fact, it is not practical to expect that this will be done by the great body of employees. An employers' liability law makes it certain that it will be done, in effect, by the employer, and it will ultimately impose no real additional burden upon him.

There is a special bill to which I call your attention, Secretary Taft.

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has urgently recommended the immediate passage of a law providing for compensation to employees of the government injured in the work of the isthmian canal, and that \$100,000 be appropriated for this purpose each year. I earnestly hope this will be done; and that a special bill will be passed covering the case of Yardmaster Banton, who was injured nearly two years ago while doing his duty. He is now helpless to support his wife and his three little boys.

The Injunction Problem.

I again call your attention to the need of some action in connection with the abuse of injunctions in labor cases. As regards the rights and wrongs of labor and capital, from blacklisting to boycotting, the whole subject is covered in admirable fashion by the report of the Anthracite coal strike commission, which report should serve as a chart for the guidance of both legislative and executive officers. As regards injunctions, I can do little but repeat what I have said in my last message to the congress. Even though it were possible I should consider it most unwise to abolish the use of the process of injunction. It is necessary in order that the courts may maintain their own dignity and in order that they may in effective manner check disorder and violence. The judges who use it cautiously and conservatively, but who, when the need arises, use it fearlessly, confers the greatest service upon our people, and his pre-eminent usefulness as a public servant should be heartily recognized. But there is no question in my mind that it has sometimes been used heedlessly and unjustly, and that some of the injunctions issued inflict grave and occasionally irreparable wrong upon those enjoined.

It is all wrong to use the injunction to prevent the entirely proper and legitimate actions of labor organizations in their struggle for industrial betterment, or under the guise of protecting property rights unwarrantably to invade the fundamental rights of the individual. It is futile to concede, as we all do, the right and the necessity of organized effort on the part of wage earners and yet by injunctive process to forbid peaceable action to accomplish the lawful objects for which they are organized and upon which their success depends. The fact that the punishment for the violation of an injunction must, to make the order

effective, necessarily be summary and without the intervention of a jury make its issuance in doubtful cases a dangerous practice, and in itself furnishes a reason why the process should be surrounded with safeguards to protect individuals against being enjoined from exercising their proper rights. Reasonable notice should be given the adverse party.

This matter is daily becoming of graver importance and I can not too urgently recommend that the congress give careful consideration to the subject. If some way of remedying the abuses is not found the feeling of indignation against them among large numbers of our citizens will tend to grow so extreme as to produce a revolt against the whole use of the process of injunction. The ultra-conservatives who object to cutting out the abuses will do well to remember that if the popular feeling does become strong many of those upon whom they rely to defend them will be the first to turn against them. Men of property can not afford to trust to anything save the spirit of justice and fair play; for those very public men who, while it is to their interest, defend all the abuses committed by capital and pose as the champions of conservatism, will, the moment they think their interest changes, take the lead in just such a matter as this and pandering to what they esteem popular feeling by endeavoring, for instance, effectively to destroy the power of the courts in matters of injunction; and will even seek to render nugatory the power to punish for contempt, upon which power the very existence of the orderly administration of justice depends.

It is my purpose as soon as may be to submit some further recommendations in reference to our laws regulating labor conditions within the sphere of federal authority. A very recent decision of the supreme court of the United States rendered since this message was written in the case of Adair versus the United States, seemingly of very large import and of very serious probable consequences as modifying previously entertained views, makes necessary careful consideration of the opinions therein filed, before it is possible definitely to decide in what way to call the matter to your attention.

Urges Fuller Power for Railroad Commission.

Not only should there be action on certain laws affecting wage earners, there should also be such action on laws better to secure control over the great business concerns engaged in interstate commerce, and especially over the great common carriers. The interstate commerce commission should be empowered to pass upon any rate or practice upon its own initiative. Moreover, it should be provided that whenever the commission has reason to believe that a proposed advance in rate ought to be made without investigation, it should have authority to issue an order prohibiting the advance, pending examination by the commission.

I would not be understood as expressing an opinion that any or even a majority of these advances are improper. Many of the rates in this country have been abnormally low. The operating expenses of our railroads, notably the wages paid railroad employees, have greatly increased. These and other causes in any given case may justify an advance in rates, and if so the advance should be permitted and approved. But there may be, and doubtless are, cases where this is not true; and our law should be so framed that the government, as the representative of the whole people, can protect the individual against unlawful exaction for the use of these public high-

ways. The interstate commerce commission should be provided with the means to make a physical valuation of any road as to which it deems this valuation necessary. In some form the federal government should exercise supervision over the financial operations of our interstate railroads. In no other way can justice be done between the private owners of these properties and the public which pays their charges. When once an inflated capitalization has gone upon the market and has become fixed in value, its existence must be recognized. As a practical matter it is then often absolutely necessary to take account of the thousands of innocent stockholders who have purchased their stock in good faith. The usual effect of such inflation is therefore to impose upon the public an unnecessary but everlasting tax, while the innocent purchasers of the stock are also harmed, and only a few speculators are benefited. Such wrongs when once accomplished can with difficulty be undone; but they can be prevented with safety and with justice. When combinations of interstate railways must obtain government sanction; when it is no longer possible for an interstate railway to issue stocks or bonds, save in the manner provided by the federal government; when that government makes sure that the proceeds of such stock and bond issue go into the improvement of the property and not to the enrichment of some individual or syndicate; when, whenever it becomes material for guidance in the regulative action of the government, the physical value of one of these properties is determined and made known—there will be eliminated from railroad securities that element of uncertainty which lends to them their speculative quality and which has contributed much to the financial stress of the recent past.

I think that the federal government must also assume a certain measure of control over the physical operation of railways in the handling of interstate traffic. The commission now has authority to establish through routes and joint rates. In order to make this provision effective and in order to promote in times of necessity the proper movement of traffic, I think it must also have authority to determine the conditions upon which cars shall be interchanged between different interstate railways. It is also probable that the commission should have authority in particular instances, to determine the schedule upon which perishable commodities shall be moved.

Favors Railroad Traffic Association.

In this connection I desire to repeat my recommendation that railroads be permitted to form traffic associations for the purpose of conferring about and agreeing upon rates, regulations and practices affecting interstate business in which the members of the association are mutually interested. This does not mean that they should be given the right to pool their earnings or their traffic. The law requires that rates shall be so adjusted as not to discriminate between individuals, localities, or different species of traffic. O-dinar-

ly, rates by all competing lines must be the same. As applied to practical conditions, the railway operations of this country cannot be conducted according to law without what is equivalent to conference and agreement. The articles under which such associations operate should be approved by the commission; all their operations should be open to public inspection; and the rates, regulations and practices upon which they agree should be subject to disapproval by the commission.

I urge this last provision with the same earnestness that I do the others. This country provides its railway facilities by private capital. Those facilities will not be adequate unless the capital employed is assured of just treatment and an adequate return. In fixing the charges of our railroads, I believe that, considering the interests of the public alone, it is better to allow too liberal rather than too scanty earnings, for otherwise, there is grave danger that our railway development may not keep pace with the demand for transportation. But the fundamental idea that these railways are public highways must be recognized, and they must be open to the whole public upon equal terms and upon reasonable terms.

The Anti-Trust Law.

In reference to the Sherman anti-trust law, I repeat the recommendations made in my message at the opening of the present congress, as well as in my message to the previous congress. The attempt in this law to provide in sweeping terms against all combinations of whatever character, if technically in restraint of trade as such restraint has been defined by the courts, must necessarily be either futile or mischievous, and sometimes both. The present law makes some combinations illegal, although they may be useful to the country. On the other hand, as to some huge combinations which are both noxious and illegal, even if the action undertaken against them under the law by the government is successful, the result may be to work but a minimum benefit to the public. Even though the combination be broken up and a small measure of reform thereby produced, the real good aimed at cannot be obtained, for such real good can come only by a thorough and continuing supervision over the acts of the combination in all its parts, so as to prevent stock watering, improper forms of competition, and, in short, wrongdoing generally.

The law should correct that portion of the Sherman act which prohibits all combinations of the character above described, whether they be reasonable or unreasonable; but this should be done only as part of a general scheme to provide for this effective and thoroughgoing supervision by the national government of all the operations of the big interstate business concerns. Judge Hough, of New York, in his recent decision in the Harriman case, states that congress possesses the power to limit the interstate operations of corporations not complying with federal safeguards against the recurrence of obnoxious practices, and to license those which afford the public adequate security against methods calculated to diminish solvency, and therefore efficiency and economy in interstate transportation. The judge adds that in these matters "the power of congress is ample, though as yet not fruitful in results." It is very earnestly to be desired that either along the lines the judge indicates, or in some other way equally efficacious, the congress may exercise the power which he holds it possesses.

Laws Are All Connected.

Superficially it may seem that the laws, the passage of which I herein again advocate—for I have repeatedly advocated them before—are not connected. But in reality they are connected. Each and every one of these laws, if enacted, would represent part of the campaign against privilege, part of the campaign to make the class of great property holders realize that property has its duties no less than its rights. When the courts guarantee to the employer, as they should, the rights of the employer,

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John Witteig is down from Houston today.

Will Jolly made a business visit at Ottaville today.

W. J. Riley made a business visit at Holden today.

L. M. Couch returned to Kansas City this afternoon.

Little Dorothy Taylor is quite ill with pneumonia.

R. W. Griffith made a business visit at Lamonte today.

H. M. Baker went to Tipton this morning on business.

G. F. Olendorf went to Kansas City this morning to visit.

Edward A. Hook, of Appleton City, is here on business.

Will Lee went to Pilot Grove this afternoon on business.

I. N. McNeil made a business trip to Warrensburg today.

John Reynolds went to Knob Noster today on business.

George Klein went to California on business this forenoon.

E. T. Thomson went to Cole Camp this morning on business.

S. L. Miller made a business visit to Smithton this morning.

H. T. McArthur and wife are here from Lamonte today, shopping.

Newt Sprecher made a business trip to Dresden this afternoon.

Patrick Conghlin went to Kansas City this morning on business.

H. B. Harnsberger made a business visit at Pilot Grove today.

C. M. Nelson, of 513 West Fourth street, is laid up with la grippe.

Miss Gladys Meyers went to Warrensburg this afternoon to visit.

Miss Lettie Bratten returned today from a visit in Warrensburg.

C. I. Taylor returned at noon today from a business visit in Kansas.

E. H. Hillyard was a business visitor to Lincoln and Warsaw today.

J. S. Breneman went to Kansas City this morning for a short visit.

Fred Goodwin returned this morning from a business visit at Moberly.

Mrs. C. E. Yeater went to Kansas City this morning to hear Paderewski.

H. G. Bowman made a business visit to Lamonte and Knob Noster today.

Edward McCubbin made a business trip to Dresden and Lamonte today.

J. D. Donnohue returned at noon today from a business visit in Kansas City.

C. W. Hedger is down from Sweet Springs today, transacting business.

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"Those who stay will suffer the penalty.—Committee."

Cards bearing the above inscription which have been tacked in conspicuous places around Reed's Station and sent to each Italian resident of the settlement, have caused no end of consternation.

John Meno, the wealthiest Italian in the town, has been warned to leave or be subjected to personal violence.

Philip Rock, an Italian banker and merchant, left last night, and John Alissea, a brother merchant, left several days ago.

They laid their troubles and loss by fire and other deprivations suffered heretofore to the Black Hand society, but now they believe their enemies to be Americans.

The matter may become an international affair, as, according to the terms of the existing treaty between Italy and the United States, the latter must furnish adequate protection to the subjects of the king of Italy while they are employed or sojourning in the United States. There are about 150 of them employed in the quarries.

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Women's FANCY HOSIERY

On Extra Special Sale Saturday Only



Very finest grades of French hosiery, fast black hose, with embroidered effects, in beautiful floral and conventional designs; form fitting, elastic, warranted for satisfactory service, and withal very specially reduced in price for Saturday's selling only.

Note the very liberal price differences:

All 50c fancy hose reduced to, pair..... 35c

All 75c fancy hose reduced to, pair..... 55c

All 89c fancy hose reduced to, pair..... 62½c

All \$1.00 fancy hose reduced to, pair..... 73c

All \$1.25 fancy hose reduced to, pair..... 89c

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HAD A "LIVELY" DEBATE

HON. C. W. HAMLIN WANTED INFORMATION ABOUT TRUST PROSECUTIONS.

OBJECTED TO AN APPROPRIATION

Fact That Judge McReynolds Will Visit St. Louis Is Brought Out in the House at Washington, D. C., Yesterday.

Washington, Jan. 31.—In the course of a lively debate yesterday on an item in the urgent deficiency appropriation bill, precipitated by Representative Hamlin, of Missouri, it was brought out that Judge McReynolds, who, as a special investigator of the department of justice, is taking testimony in the tobacco-trust prosecution, would soon be in St. Louis.

Mr. Hamlin had objected to the large appropriations for the employment of special counsel to prosecute the trusts, and wanted to know how it had been expended and what had been accomplished as a result of the expenditure.

He was arrested from an unexpected source when Representative Gaines, of Tennessee, a fellow democratic member, arose and said he could speak for at least one of the special counsel who had been engaged in this work.

He referred to Judge McReynolds, who comes from his home city, Nashville, Tenn., who had been engaged in New York for almost a year, is in Louisville, Ky., now and will soon be in St. Louis.

Mr. Gaines pointed out the good work that had been accomplished in the pursuit of this, to him, the worst octopus in the business, and he did not begrudge a cent that had been appropriated for similar purposes.

Mr. Hamlin was also arrested by Representative Tawney, chairman of the committee on appropriations, who told of convictions secured in Kansas City, in Hamlin's own state, as a result of this policy and appropriations.

Representative Mann, of Chicago, also called attention to convictions in Chicago, where several hundred thousand dollars had been paid in fines by railroads, the school furniture trust and other corporations, and Mr. Tawney again chimed in to call attention to the fact that over \$600,000 had been collected in fines in New York alone in this pursuit of the trusts.

It fills the arteries with rich, red blood, makes new flesh, and healthy men, women and children. Nothing can take its place; no remedy has done so much good as Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Farm Wanted.

Wanted, a good farm near some good town in Missouri; prefer Sedalia or its neighborhood; will trade my stock of general merchandise situated in a good Northeastern Iowa town of about 900 inhabitants; stock will invoice \$7,000, can reduce. Reason, want change of location and climate. For particulars address "Farm," care Democrat-Sentinel.

Simple and Logical.

The SELLING TOMORROW

Is Going to Reach The High Water Mark

11c for 20c suits. ings.	22c for men's or ladies' 50c golf gloves.
29c for 50c and 75c dress goods.	97c for men's \$1.50 overshoes.
69c for \$1 taffeta silk.	98c for \$3 trim- med hats.
1.29 for \$1.50 and \$1.75 dress shoes.	1.47 for \$2.50 bearskin coats.
2.87 for men's \$3.50 and \$4 shoes.	2.97 for \$6 ladies' coats.
32 1/2c for men's 50c fleece under- wear.	1.98 for \$3.50 lad- ies' skirts.
17 1/2c for knit un- derwear.	14c for men's 25c Jersey gloves.

Chasnoffs
110 W. SECOND ST.

Confirmation at Calvary Church.

The Bishop of Kansas City pays his official visit to Calvary parish on Sunday and will preach at both morn- and evening services. In the morn- ing a class of eight persons will be presented to the bishop for confirma- tion.

Do your neighbors a good turn and tell them how good the "Pride of Perry" flour is.

RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

LOCOMOTIVE EXPERT CAUGHT UNDER AN ENGINE AND BADLY HURT.

COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

William Stuart, a locomotive expert who was accompanying two Baldwin locomotives from Philadelphia to be delivered to the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway, was perhaps fatally injured at Alton, Ill., yesterday afternoon.

The engines had been set on a switch, and Stuart was underneath clinging up, when a switch engine lumped into the train and Stuart was crushed and cut under the wheels.

He was moved to St. Joseph's hospital. He was able to give his name and address. The attending surgeons say there is little chance of his recovery.

Poor Grades Were Made.

An official bulletin was issued today at the Katy offices, complaining of the low grades made by trainmen at the recent school of instruction at the company's air brake instruction car.

The bulletin concludes by stating that hereafter trainmen will be expected to attain a grade of 85 per cent on such examinations, and if they fail to do so they will be requested to explain.

Katy Commercial Agent.

H. C. Caldwell has been appointed commercial agent of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad at the City of Mexico, effective February 15. He succeeds L. B. Chiple, who is assigned to other duties.

Hospital Arrivals.

Following are new arrivals at the Katy hospital:

Ulysses Adkins, coal heaver, Smithville, Texas.

O. E. Brent, blacksmith's helper, Parsons, Kan.

Harry Baxter, section foreman, Nelonoy, Okla.

John Burke, section foreman, Oklahoma, Okla.

Automatic Couplers.

Katy Roadmaster A. Frales went north on No. 2 today.

Commercial Agent Conner, of the Katy, went to Nevada today on business.

The Missouri Pacific shops were closed today, and will remain so until Monday.

Lloyd Pace, a Missouri Pacific section laborer, is laying off, due to a case of bronchitis.

J. M. Chandler, Missouri Pacific roadmaster, went to Pleasant Hill on business this morning.

The Katy shops are closed today, but will reopen tomorrow.

Katy Fireman Meiers, who is ill with la grippe at the company hospital, is getting along nicely.

Richard Taylor, a Katy shopman, is ill with inflammation of the right arm at the company hospital.

H. L. White, route agent for the Pacific Express Co., went to Cole Camp on business this morning.

George Britten, division foreman for the Missouri Pacific, went to Tipton this morning on business.

C. C. Clayton, traveling account- ant for the Missouri Pacific, made a business trip to Cole Camp today.

Superintendent N. J. Finney, of the Katy, went to Freeman today to superintend the clearing of the wreck.

J. C. Brown, a railway mail clerk, returned to Kansas City this after- noon, after visiting his family here.

W. H. Hall, assistant superintend- ent of telegraph for the Katy, went to St. Louis last night on business.

L. M. Riley, a Missouri Pacific brakeman, has resumed work, after a brief lay off, due to his wife's ill- ness.

J. W. Devine, a Katy shopman, who is ill with rheumatism at the company hospital, is improving sat- isfactorily.

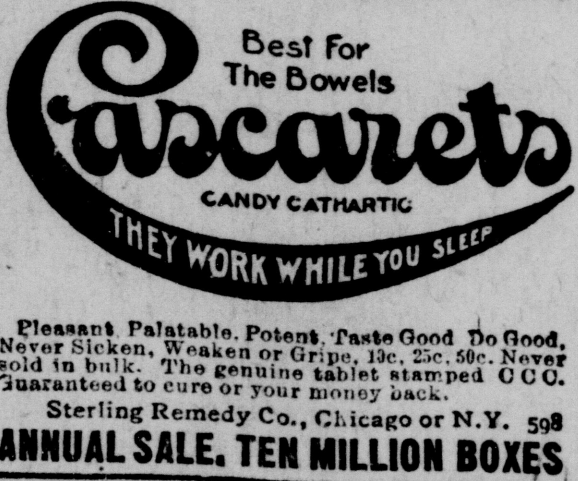
Information from California states that S. K. Bullard, superintendent of telegraph for the Katy in this city, is improving.

W. E. Staten, employed by the Missouri Pacific at Jefferson City, will return there tonight, after a visit here and in Kansas City.

Division Engineer A. P. Morrison, of the Missouri Pacific, Commercial

HEADACHE

"My father had been a sufferer from sick headache for the last twenty-five years and never found any relief until he began taking your Cascarets. Since he has begun taking Cascarets he has never had the headache. They have entirely cured him. Cascarets do what you recommend them to do. I will give you the privilege of using his name." E. M. Dickson, 1129 Resister St., W. Indianapolis, Ind.



Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, No Food, Never Sicken, Weaken or Gripes, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C.C.O. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N.Y. 598

ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

Agent Walter Shirk and M. C. Burns, foreman of the water service, are at Marshall today on company busi- ness.

C. B. Ogle, traveling passenger agent for the C. B. & Q. railway at Kansas City, returned there this after- noon, after a business visit here.

In future conductors on Katy trains Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 will turn in their time slips to Superintendent Boughner, instead of at Superintendent Finney's office.

Superintendent Finney, of the Katy, issued a bulletin today, "jacking up" train porters, who are accused of using improper oil for the different lights on the trains.

Edward Jagels, a Katy switchman, went to Holden this morning to ac- company here John Bond, a Katy fire- man, who was injured in the wreck at Freeman last night.

Marshall Rust, a Katy contractor, who is working on the company bridge at Boonville, was visiting friends here yesterday, and returned to the Vine Clad City last night.

As good as the best, better than the rest—"Pride of Perry" flour; at all grocers.

Sam Brown Sent to Jail.

Sam Brown, a negro peace disturber, was given fifteen days in jail by Judge Clark today.

It don't cost any more; then why not demand the "Pride of Perry" flour, guaranteed the best flour on the market.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

The Grain Quotations.

The following quotations are fur- nished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 94 cars; corn, 23 cars; oats, 10 cars.

Wheat market—Two to three cents lower. No. 2 selling at 92 1/4 @ 95c; No. 3 selling at 90 1/4 @ 92 1/4c. Futures—May, 91 3/4c; July, 85 3/4c.

Corn market—One-half to one cent lower. No. 2 white, 52 1/4c; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No. 2 mixed, 52 1/4 @ 52 1/2c. Futures—May, 53 1/4c; July, 53 1/4c.

Oats market—Unchanged. No. 2 mixed, 48 1/2c; No. 2 white, 49 1/2 @ 50c.

Live Stock Quotations.

The following quotations are fur- nished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by Campbell Bros. & Rosson Live Stock Commission Co., stock brokers.

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 2,000; hogs, 16,000.

Cattle market—Steady. Best corn fed cattle, \$5.40 @ 5.50; medium corn fed cattle, \$5.00 @ 5.25; grass cattle weighing 1000 and upwards, \$1.50 @ 4.75; medium, \$4.15 @ 4.35; feeders— heavy, \$4.50 @ 4.65; light, \$4.00 @ 4.25; stockers, \$3.50 @ 3.85; cows—best corn fed, \$4.00 @ 4.40; grass cows, \$3.25 @ 3.65; best heifers, \$4.25 @ 4.50; stock calves, \$3.00 @ 4.25; veal calves, \$5.50 @ 6.50.

Hog market—Five to 15 cents higher. Bulk, \$4.20 @ 4.45; top, \$4.52 @ 4.52 1/2; choice heavy over 250 lbs., \$4.40 @ 4.52 1/2; choice prime over 200 lbs., \$4.30 @ 4.50; choice light over 100 lbs., \$4.10 @ 4.35.

SEDALIA MARKETS.

Prices Paid by the Local Dealers for Products of the Farm and Dairy, Breadstuffs, Cereals, Etc.

Butter, per lb. 20c to 22c
Lard, per lb. 10c
Potatoes, per bu. 65c to 75c
Eggs, per doz. 20c
Cereals and Breadstuffs.
Hard wheat flour, per cwt. \$3.00

WHY DOES DR. WHITE SUCCEED?

I WILL TELL YOU!

It is because his prices are reasonable; his work is good. His office is furnished with the latest improvements, which enable him to do work painless. Dr. White has been in Sedalia three years and expects to stay. He will do work for the next thirty days at these prices:

Set of Teeth	7.00	Porcelain Crowns	3.50
Gold Crown	5.00	Gold Fillings	1.50
Bridge Teeth	5.00	Silver Fillings	50c

Painless Extracting

Office Over Smoke House,
227 Ohio Street

BELL PHONE 698. Q. C. PHONE 187.

Soft wheat our, per cwt.	\$2.70
Graham flour, per cwt.	\$2.40
Chops, per cwt.	\$1.25
Bran, per cwt.	\$1.30
Corn, per bu.	55c
Wheat, per bu.	85c

Poultry.

Hens	8c
Roosters	3c
Ducks	5c
Springs	8c
Turkeys	9c

Can Test Meters Now.

The machine to test gas meters, which has been at the city hall for several months, was unpacked by Mayor Collins this morning and given a thorough and satisfactory trial by his honor. It worked to perfection. Mayor Collins says, and any patron of the gas company who has a gas meter that he desires to have tested can be accommodated by notifying his honor or any member of the council committee on gas and lights.

Will Hear Paderewski.

The following Sedalians will hear Paderewski at Kansas City tonight: Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sturges, Mrs. E. B. Farley, Mrs. C. E. Yeater, Miss Florence Shultz and Prof. Isaac Pils.

Investigating College Trouble.

The Rev. M. C. B. Mason, of Cincinnati, secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Educational society, is in the city investigating the troubles between some of the students and the faculty of George R. Smith college, which President I. L. Lowe says have been greatly exaggerated, mountains being made out of mole hills, as it were.

Start right, do right and you will end right. Use "Pride of Perry" flour, first, last and all the time.

Former Sedalia Girl Weds.

Miss Mary M. Polanek, a former Sedalia girl, who attended Hill's Business college, was married recently to John H. Alms, of St. Louis, by Rev. Fr. McDonald, of that place.

Have tenant for 5-room house east of Grand, north of Broadway; about \$16.00. What have you?

\$2,000 for first mortgage farm loan; low rate; easy terms.

W. H. HIGHLEYMAN
Phone 78. 315 Ohio St.

BE ON HAND PROMPTLY 8:30 O'CLOCK SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1

LOOK FOR THE GREEN AND ORANGE FLAGS

THE LEADER'S MILL END

LOOK FOR THE GREEN & ORANGE FLAGS.
112 W. MAIN

Sale is to re-open Saturday, February 1st with that stock we bought of Inez & Co, of Halstead, Kas. We are able to put on one of those greatest and cheapest price cutting sales that The Leader is renowned for. You will never know how true these assertions are until you follow the crowd, come in and take a glance around, and that one glance will put your blood to moving through your veins with a thrill of satisfaction when you see our mill end counter full to overflowing with CALICO FOR A PENNY A YARD, also Zephyrette Gingham in all the pretty plaids, just think, 6c per yard. Remember, good people, this sale must continue until we dispose of all that stock we bought of Inez & Co, as we have no room on our ground floor and we are compelled to keep it in our basement. Now, promptly at 8:30 o'clock on Saturday, Feb. 1, we will throw open our doors and give the throngs access to these bargains.

Work Shirts; sell ev- erywhere for 50c — 33c	Dress Shirts, each— 15c	Stetson Hats; \$3.50 kind— \$2 48	100 Coats for women. \$1 40 ea. All Coats one-half price.	Outing Gowns, 52 inches long— 39c	Blankets, pair— 37c	Shoes for women as low as 25c pair Men's Heavy Shoes, pair— 98c	Red and Black Hand- kerchiefs— 4c
Women's Union Suits— 25c	Men's Overcoats, each— \$2.48	Men's Underwear, san- itary fleece - 33c	Ribbon in all colors, 4 inches wide, per yd— 9c	Men's Suits - \$2 98 All Suits 1-2 price.	Men's and Boys' Sweaters, each— 25c	Men's \$3.00 Patent Colt Shoes, all sizes, pair— \$1 98	The best Overall, pair— 39c

The above is only a few of our prices, so to get the peaches and cream you had better be on hand at 8:30, Saturday, Feb. 1st, as we will throw open our doors on that minute.

THE LEADER, 112 W. Main Street J. A. SYMONDS, Mgr.
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HARDWARE COMP'Y**

**EVERYTHING
IN
HARDWARE**

TWO STORES:

114 W. 2nd.

110 W. Main.

LIVES LIFE OF A HERMIT

**GEORGE LUSTERN, WHO CLAIMS
TO HAVE BEEN BORN AT
FORT SCOTT, KAS.**

HE SAYS IT WAS 74 YEARS AGO

**The Man Has Traveled All Over the
World—Lives in a Novel Down
Near Pittsburg at the
Present Time.**

Fort Scott, Kan., Jan. 31.—Born in Fort Scott seventy-four years ago is the story recounted by George Lustern, a hermit, who now lives in a secluded place, near Pittsburg.

The old man's statement may be doubted by many who think that seventy-four years ago there was no Fort Scott. The earliest knowledge of Fort Scott's being a town at all is in the early forties, when it was known as "Camp Scott."

But about ten years before this time this newly-found first born declares he was born here. At that time there was nothing to indicate any sign of human life, save a few bands of nomadic Indians who roamed around, hunted, fished and fought, as is told in the school boy story books.

At the present time Lustern lives in a hut down near Pittsburg. He is an odd, yet interesting, character, and a report from Pittsburg says of him:

In a small hovel, about one and one-half miles northeast of Pittsburg, resides George Lustern, and he seldom leaves the place. He has but few visitors, and it is more seldom that he has a caller older than ten years of age, and to his younger associates he has expressed that he

can enjoy their company far more than he can that of older persons.

He is over 74 years of age, and is small in stature, but has a stupendous growth of beard. He was born in Fort Scott, but since that eventful time he has traveled over the greater part of the world, until two years ago, when he came to this community and since has occupied the humble little dwelling.

He has left it very few times, only when he was compelled to go out to secure food.

At present he does nothing for a livelihood, but they way he explains himself is to the effect that when he was in Ohio he worked for a man feeding cattle, and when he went to leave the man being wealthy and feeling compassion for him, asked him to send his address when he became located in this part of the country and he placed him on an allowance. He says he receives his money monthly.

Hotel Exchanged for a Farm.

C. P. Gott went to Sedalia Wednesday morning for the purpose of closing the sale of the Courtney hotel property, owned by John Fowler, of Pettis county, says the Booneville Democrat. The hotel property was given in exchange for a Pettis county farm belonging to Emanuel Overly. The consideration in the exchange for the hotel was \$9,000.

Gave Up the Sardines.

An unknown negro, employed at a local livery stable, while passing along Ohio street yesterday, grabbed a can of sardines and placed it in his pocket. The theft was noticed by the proprietor of the store, who, seizing the negro by the throat, made him return the goods.

Miss Thruston Has Resigned.

Miss Kate Thruston, who has been assisting the office force at the Katy telegraph office, has resigned.

MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT

(Continued from Part One.)

and to property the rights of property, they should not less emphatically make it evident that they will exact from property and from the employer the duties which should necessarily accompany these rights; and hitherto our laws have failed in precisely this point of enforcing the performance of duty by the man of property toward the man who works for him, by the man of great wealth, especially if he uses that wealth in corporate form, toward the investor, the wage worker and the general public. The permanent failure of the man of property to fulfill his obligations would ultimately assure the wresting from him of the privileges which he is entitled to enjoy only if he recognizes the obligations accompanying them. Those who assume or share the responsibility for this failure are rendering but a poor service to the cause which they believe they champion.

Against Stock Gambling.

I do not know whether it is possible, but if possible, it is certainly desirable, that in connection with measures to restrain stock watering and over capitalization there should be measures taken to prevent at least the grosser forms of gambling in securities and commodities, such as making large sales of what men do not possess and "cornering" the market. Legitimate purchases of commodities and of stocks and securities for investment have no connection whatever with purchases of stocks or other securities or commodities on a margin for speculative and gambling purposes. There is no moral difference between gambling at cards or in lotteries or on the race track and gambling in the stock market. One method is just as pernicious to the body politic as the other in kind, and in degree the evil worked is far greater. But it is a far more difficult subject with which to deal. The great bulk of business transacted on the exchanges is not only legitimate, but is necessary to the working of our modern industrial system, and extreme care would have to be taken not to interfere with this business in doing away with the "bucket shop" type of operation. We should study both the success and the failures of foreign legislators who, notably in Germany, have worked along this line, so as not to do anything harmful. Moreover, there is a special difficulty in dealing with this matter by the federal government in a federal republic like ours. But if it is possible to devise a way to deal with it the effort should be made, even if only in a cautious and tentative way. It would seem that the federal government could at least act by forbidding the use of the mails, telegraph and telephone wires for mere gambling in stocks and futures, just as it does in lottery transactions.

Standard Oil and Santa Fe.

I enclose herewith a statement issued by the chief of the bureau of corporations (Appendix 1) in answer to certain statements (which I also enclose) made by and on behalf of the agents of the Standard Oil corporation (Appendix 2) and a letter of the attorney general (Appendix 3) containing an answer to certain statements, also inclosed, made by the president of the Santa Fe Railway company (Appendix 4). The Standard Oil corporation and the railway company have both been found guilty by the courts of criminal misconduct; both have been sentenced to pay heavy fines; and each has issued and published broadcast these statements, asserting their innocence and denouncing as improper the action of the courts and juries in convicting them of guilt. These statements are very elaborate, are very ingenious, and are untruthful in important particulars. The following letter and inclosure from Mr. Heney sufficiently illustrate the methods of the high officials of the Santa Fe and show the utter falsity of their plea of ignorance, the similar plea of the Standard Oil being equally without foundation.

Department of Justice, Office of the United States Attorney, District of Oregon, Portland, January 11, 1908.—The President, Washington. D. C. Dear Mr. President: I understand that Mr. Ripley, of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway system, has commented with some severity upon your attitude toward the payment of rebates by certain transcontinental railroads, and that he has declared that he personally never knew anything about any rebates being granted by his road. * * * I enclose you herewith a copy of a letter



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ter from Edward Chambers, general freight traffic manager of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway system, to Mr. G. A. Davidson, auditor of the same company, dated February 27, 1907. * * *

This letter does not deal with interstate shipments, but the constitution of the state of California makes the payment of rebates by railroads a felony, and Mr. Ripley has apparently not been above the commission of crime to secure business. You are at liberty to use this inclosure in any way that you think it can be of service to yourself or the public. * * *

Sincerely yours—Francis J. Heney.
San Francisco, February 27, 1907.
Dear Sir: I hand you herewith a file of papers covering the movement of fuel oil shipped by the Associated Oil company over our line from January 1, 1906, up to and including November 15, 1906.

We agreed with the Associated Oil company's negotiations with Mr. Ripley, Mr. Wells and myself, that in consideration of their making us a special price on oil for company use, which is covered by a contract, and the further consideration that we would take a certain quantity, they would in turn ship from Bakersfield over our line to San Francisco bay points a certain minimum number of barrels of fuel oil at rate of 25 cents per barrel from Bakersfield, exclusive of the switching charge.

These statements cover the movement, except that they have included Stockton, which is not correct, as it is not a bay point and could not be reached as conveniently by water. We have paid them on account of this movement \$7,239, which should be deducted from the total of movement shown in the attached papers.

I wish you would arrange to make up a statement, check the same, and refund to the Associated Oil company down to the basis of 25 cents per barrel from Bakersfield where they are the shippers, regardless of who is consignee, as all their fuel oil is sold delivered. The reason for making this deal in addition to what

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I have stated, is that the Associated Oil company have their own boats and carry oil from fields controlled by themselves along the coast near San Luis Obispo to San Francisco at a much lower cost than the special rate we have made them and in competition with the Union Oil company and the Standard Oil company, it was necessary for them to sell at the San Francisco bay points on the basis of the cost of water transportation from the coast fields. They figured they could only afford to pay us the 25 cents per barrel if by doing this they sold our company a certain amount of fuel oil, otherwise the business covered by the attached papers would have come in by boat from the coast fields.

I am writing this up completely so that there may be in the papers a history of the reasons why this arrangement was made. I wish you would go ahead and make the adjustment as soon as possible, as the Associated Oil company are very anxious to have the matter closed up. The arrangement was canceled on November 15th, at a conference between Mr. Ripley, Mr. Wells, Mr. Porter and myself. Yours truly—Edward Chambers.

Shipments—Associated Oil Company, Mr. G. A. Davidson, Auditor, Los Angeles.

The attacks by these great corporations on the administration's actions have been given a wide circulation throughout the country, in the newspapers and otherwise, by those writers and speakers who, consciously or unconsciously, act as the representatives of predatory wealth—of the wealth accumulated on a giant scale by all forms of iniquity, ranging from the oppression of wage workers to unfair and unwholesome methods of crushing out competition, and to defrauding the public by stock jobbing and the manipulation of securities. Certain wealthy men of this stamp, whose conduct should be abhorrent to every man of ordinarily decent conscience, and who commit the hideous wrong of teaching our young men that phenomenal business success must ordinarily be based on dishonesty, have during the last few months made it apparent that they have banded together to work for a reaction. Their endeavor is to overthrow and discredit all who honestly administer the law, to prevent any additional legislation which would check and restrain them, and to secure if possible a freedom from all restraint which will permit every unscrupulous wrongdoer to do what he wishes unchecked provided he has enough money. The only way to counteract the movement in which these men are engaged is to make clear to the public just what they have done in the past and just what they are seeking to accomplish in the present.

The administration and those who support its views are not only not engaged in an assault upon property, but are strenuous upholders of the rights of property.

Position of the Administration.

Under no circumstances would we countenance attacks upon law-abiding property, or do ought but to condemn those who hold up rich men as being evil men because of their riches. On the contrary, our whole effort is to insist upon conduct, and neither wealth nor property nor any other class distinction, as being the proper standard by which to judge the actions of men. For the honest man of great wealth we have a hearty regard, just as we have a hearty regard for the honest politician and the honest newspaper. But part of the movement to uphold honesty must be a movement to frown on dishonesty. We attack only the corrupt men of wealth, who find in the purchased politician the most efficient instrument of corruption, and in the purchased newspaper the most efficient defender of corruption. Our main quarrel is not with these agents and representatives of the interests. They derive their chief power from the great sinister offenders who stand behind them. They are but puppets who move as the strings are pulled. It is not the puppets, but the strong, cunning men and the mighty forces working for evil behind and through the puppets, with whom we have to deal. We seek to control law-defying wealth; in the first place to prevent its doing dire evil to the republic, and in the second place to avoid the vindictive and dreadful radicalism, which, if left uncontrolled, is certain in the end to arouse. Sweeping attacks upon all property, upon all men of means without regard to whether they do well or ill, would sound the death knell of the republic; and such attacks become inevitable if decent citizens permit those rich men whose lives are cor-

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rupt and evil to dominate in swollen pride, unchecked and unhindered, over the destinies of the country. We act in no vindictive spirit, and we are no respecter of persons. If a labor union does wrong we oppose it as firmly as we do a corporation which does wrong; and we stand equally stoutly for the rights of the man of wealth and for the rights of the wage worker. We seek to protect the property of every man who acts honestly, of every corporation that represents wealth honestly accumulated and honestly used. We seek to stop wrongdoing, and we desire to punish wrongdoers only so far as is necessary to achieve this end.

There are ample material rewards for those who serve with fidelity the mammon of unrighteousness; but they are dearly paid for by the people who permit their representatives, whether in public life, in the press or in the colleges, where their young men are taught, to preach and practice that there is one law for the rich and another for the poor. The amount of money the representatives of certain great moneyed interests are willing to spend can be gauged by their recent publication broadcast throughout the papers of this country, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, of huge advertisements attacking with venomous bitterness the administration's policy of warring against successful dishonesty, and by their circulation of pamphlets and books, prepared with the same object; while they likewise push the writings and speeches of men who, whether because they are misled, or because, seeing the light, they yet are willing to sin against the light, serve these their masters of great

wealth to the cost of the plain people. The books and pamphlets, the controlled newspapers, the speeches by public or private men to which I refer, are usually and especially in the interest of the Standard Oil trust and in the interest of certain notorious railroad combinations, but they also defend other individuals and corporations of great wealth that have been guilty of wrongdoing. It is only rarely that the men responsible for wrongdoing themselves speak or write. Normally, they hire others to do their bidding, or find others who will do it without hire. From the railroad rate law to the pure food law, every measure for honesty in business that has been passed during the last six years has been opposed by these men on its passage and in its administration, with every resource that bitter and unscrupulous craft could suggest and the command of almost unlimited money secure. But for the past year the attack has been made with most bitterness upon the actual administration of the law, especially through the department of justice, and also through the interstate commerce commission and the bureau of corporations. The extraordinary violence of the assaults upon our policies contained in these speeches, editorials, articles, advertisements and pamphlets and the enormous sums of money spent in these various ways, give a fairly accurate measure of the anger and terror which our actions have caused the corrupt men of great wealth to feel in the very marrow of their being. The attack is sometimes made openly against us

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MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT

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for enforcing the law, and sometimes with a certain cunning, for not trying to enforce it in some other way than that which experience shows practical. One of the favorite methods of the latter class of assailants is to attack the administration for not procuring the imprisonment instead of the fine of offenders under these anti-trust laws. The man making this assault is usually either a prominent lawyer or an editor who takes his policy from the financiers and his arguments from their attorneys. If the former, he has defended and advised many wealthy malefactors, and he knows well that, thanks to the advice of lawyers like him, a certain kind of modern corporation has been turned into an admirable instrument by which to render it well nigh impossible to get at the head of the corporation, at the man who is really most guilty. When we are able to put the real wrongdoer in prison this is what we strive to do; this is what we have actually done with some very wealthy criminals, who, moreover, represented that most baneful of all alliances, the alliance between the corruption of organized politics and the corruption of high finance. This is what we have done in the Gaynor and Greene case, in the case of the misapplication of funds in certain great banks in Chicago, in the land fraud cases, where, as in other cases likewise, neither the higher political position nor the possession of great wealth, has availed to save the offenders from prison. The federal government does scourge sin; it does bid sinners fear; for it has put behind the bars with impartial severity, the powerful financier, the powerful politician, the rich land thief, the rich contractor—all, no matter how high their station, against whom criminal misdeeds can be proved. All of their wealth and power can not protect them. But it often happens that the effort to imprison a given defendant is certain to be futile, while it is possible to fine him or to fine the corporation of which he is head; so that, in other words, the only way of punishing the wrong is by fining the corporation, unless we are content to proceed personally against the minor agents. The corporation lawyers to whom I refer and their employers are the men mainly responsible for this state of things, and their responsibility is shared with all who ingeniously oppose the passing of just and effective laws, or who fail to execute them when they have been put on the statute books.

"Innocent Stockholder" Cry. Much is said in these attacks upon the policy of the present administration about the rights of "innocent stockholders." That stockholder is not innocent who voluntarily purchases stock in a corporation whose methods and management he knows to be corrupt; and stockholders are bound to try to secure honest management, or else are estopped from complaining about the proceedings of the government funds necessary in order to compel the corporation to obey the law. There has been in the past grave wrong done innocent stockholders by overcapitalization, stock watering, stock jobbing, stock manipulation. This we have sought to prevent, first by exposing the thing done and punishing the offender when any existing law had been violated; second, by recommending the passage of laws which would make unlawful similar practices for the future. The public men, lawyers and editors, who loudly proclaim their sympathy for the "innocent stockholders" when a great law-defying corporation is punished, are the first to protest with frantic vehemence against all efforts by law to put a stop to the practices which are the real and ultimate sources of damage alike to the stockholders and the public. The apologists of successful dishonesty always declaim against any effort to punish or prevent it, on the ground that any such effort will "unsettle business." It is they who by their acts have unsettled business; and the very men raising this cry spend hundreds of thousands of dollars in securing, by speech, editorial, book or pamphlet, the defense by misstatements of what they have done; and yet when public servants correct their misstatements by telling the truth, they declaim against them for breaking silence, lest "values be depreciated." They have hurt honest business men, honest working men, honest farmers.

and now they clamor against the truth being told.
Moral Regeneration in Business.
The keynote of all these attacks upon the effort to secure honesty in business and in politics is well expressed in brazen protests against any effort for the moral regeneration of the business world, on the ground that it is unnatural, unwarranted and injurious, and that business panic is the necessary penalty for such effort to secure business honesty. The morality of such a plea is precisely as great as it made on behalf of the men caught in a gambling establishment when that gambling establishment is raided by the police. If such words mean anything they mean that those whose sentiments they represent stand against the effort to bring about a moral regeneration of business, which will prevent a repetition of the insurance, banking and street railroad scandals in New York; a repetition of the Chicago and Alton deal; a repetition of the combination between certain professional politicians, certain professed labor leaders, and certain big financiers, from the disgrace of which San Francisco has just been rescued; a repetition of the successful effort by the Standard Oil people to crush out every competitor, to overawe the common carriers and to establish a monopoly which treats the public with a contempt which the public deserves so long as it permits men of such principles and such sentiments to avow and act on them with impunity. The outcry against stopping dishonest practices among the wrongdoers, who happen to be wealthy, is precisely similar to the outcry raised against every effort for cleanliness and decency in city government, because, forsooth, it will "hurt business." The same outcry is made against the department of justice for prosecuting the heads of colossal corporations that has been made against the men who in San Francisco prosecuted with impartial severity the wrongdoers among the business men, public officials and labor leaders alike. The principle is the same in the two cases. Just as the blackmailer and bribe-giver stand on the same evil eminence of infamy, so the man who makes an enormous fortune by corrupting legislatures and municipalities and fleeing his stockholders and the public, stands on the same moral level with the creature who fattens on the blood money of the gambling house and the saloon. Moreover, in the last analysis, both kinds of corruption are far more intimately connected than would at first appear the wrongdoing is at bottom the same. Corrupt business and corrupt politics act and react with ever increasing debasement, one on the other; the corrupt head of a corporation and the corrupt labor leader are both in the same degree the enemies of honest corporations and honest labor unions; the rebate taker, the franchise trafficker, the manipulator of securities, the purveyor and protector of vice, the blackmailing ward boss, the ballot box stuffer, the demagogue, the mob leader, the hired bully, the man-killer—all alike work at the same web or corruption, and all alike should be abhorred by honest men.

"High Finance" Term of Scandal. The "business" which is hurt by the movement for honesty is the kind of business which, in the long run, it pays the country to have hurt. It is the kind of business which has tended to make the very name "high finance" a term of scandal to which all honest American men of business should join in putting an end. The special pleading for business dishonesty, in denouncing the present administration for enforcing the law against the huge and corrupt corporations which have defied the law, also denounce it for endeavoring to secure badly needed labor legislation, such as a far-reaching law making employers liable for injuries to their employees. It is meet and fit that the apologists for corrupt wealth should oppose every effort to relieve weak and helpless people from crushing misfortune brought upon them by injury in the business from which they gain a bare livelihood. The burden should be distributed. It is hypocritical baseness to speak of a girl who works in a factory where the dangerous machinery is unprotected as having the "right" freely to contract to expose herself to dangers of life and limb. She has no alternative but to suffer want or else to expose herself to such dangers, and when she loses a hand or is otherwise maimed or disfigured for life, it is a moral wrong that the whole burden of the risk necessarily incidental to the business should be placed with crushing weight upon her weak shoulders, and all who profit by her work escape scot-free. This is what opponents of a just employers' liability law advocate; and it is consistent that they should usually also advocate immunity for those most dangerous members of the criminal class—the criminals of great wealth.

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communications from the Standard Oil company and the Santa Fe railroad for having imposed heavy fines on these two corporations; any yet these same critics of these two judges exhaust themselves in denouncing the most respectful and cautious discussion of the official action of a judge which results in immunity to wealthy and powerful wrongdoers, rendering nugatory temperate efforts to better the condition of life and work among those of our fellow countrymen whose need is the greatest. Most certainly it behooves us all to treat with the utmost respect the high office of judge; and our judges, as a whole, are brave and upright men. Respect for the law must go hand in hand with respect for the judges; and, as a whole, it is true now as in the past that the judges stand in character and service above all other men among their fellow-servants of the public. There is all the greater need that the few who fail in this great office, who fall below this high standard of integrity, of wisdom, of sympathetic understanding and of courage, should have their eyes opened to the needs of their countrymen. A judge who on the bench either truckles to the mob and shrinks from sternly repressing violence and disorder, or bows down before a corporation, who fails to stand up valiantly for the rights of property on one hand, or on the other by misuse of the process of injunction or by his attitude toward all measures for the betterment of the conditions of labor, makes the wage-worker feel with bitterness that the courts are hostile to him; or who fails to realize that all public servants in their several stations must strive to stop the abuses of the criminal rich—such a man performs an even worse service to the body politic than the legislator or executive who goes wrong. The judge who does his full duty well stands higher, and renders a better service to the people, than any other public servant; he is entitled to greater respect; and if he is a true servant of the people, if he is upright, wise and fearless, he will unhesitatingly disregard even the wishes of the people if they conflict with the eternal principles of right as against wrong. He must serve the people; but he must serve his own conscience first. All honor to such a judge; and all honor can not be rendered equally to his brethren who

fall immeasurably below the high ideals for which he stands. Untruthful criticism is wicked at all times, and whoever may be the object; but it is a peculiarly flagrant iniquity when a judge is the object. No man should lightly criticize a judge; no man should, even in his own mind, condemn a judge unless he is sure of the facts. If a judge is assailed for standing against popular folly, and above all for standing against mob violence, all honorable men should rally instantly to his support. Nevertheless if he clearly fails to do his duty by the public in dealing with law-breaking corporations, law-breaking men of wealth, he must expect to feel the weight of public opinion; and this is but right, for except in extreme cases this is the only way in which he can be reached at all. No servant of the people has a right to expect to be free from just and honest criticism.

Movement an Ethical One.
The opponents of the measures we champion single out now one and now another measure for especial attack, and speak as if the movement in which we are engaged was purely economic. It has a large economic side, but it is fundamentally an ethical movement. It is not a movement to be completed in one year, or two or three years; it is a movement which must be persevered in until the spirit which lies behind it sinks deep into the heart and the conscience of the whole people. It is always important to choose the right means to achieve our purpose, but it is even more important to keep this purpose clearly before us; and this purpose is to secure national honesty in business and in politics. We do not subscribe to the cynical belief that dishonesty and unfair dealing are essential to business success, and are to be condoned when the success is moderate and applauded when the success is great. The methods by which the Standard Oil people and those engaged in the other combinations of which I have spoken above have achieved great fortunes can only be justified by the advocacy of a system of morality which would also justify every form of criminality on the part of a labor union, and every form of violence, corruption, and fraud, from murder to bribery and ballot box stuffing in politics. We are trying to secure equality of opportunity for all; and the struggle for honesty is the same whether it is made on behalf of one set of men or of another. In the interest of the small settlers and landowners, and against the embittered opposition of wealthy owners of huge wandering flocks of sheep, or of corporations desiring to rob the people of coal and timber, we strive to put an end to the theft of public land in the west. When we do this, and protest against the action of all men, whether in public or private life, who either take part in or refuse to try to stop such theft, we are really engaged in the same policy as when we endeavor to put a stop to rebates or to prevent the upgrowth of uncontrolled monopolies. Our effort is simply to enforce the principles of common honesty and common sense. It would indeed be ill

for the country should there be any belt in our work.
Much Has Been Accomplished.
The laws must in the future be administered so that the department of justice may continue to be, what it now is, in very fact the department of justice, where so far as our ability permits justice is meted out with an even hand to great and small, rich and poor, weak and strong. Moreover, there should be no delay in supplementing the laws now on the statute books by the enactment of further legislation as outlined in the message I sent to the congress on its assembling. Under the existing laws much, very much, has been actually accomplished during the past six years, and it has been shown by actual experience that they can be enforced against the wealthiest corporation and the richest and most powerful manager or manipulator of that corporation, as rigorously and fearlessly as against the humblest offender. Above all, they have been enforced against the very wrongdoers and agents of wrongdoers who have for so many years gone scot-free and flouted the laws with impunity, against great law-defying corporations of immense wealth, which, until within the last half dozen years, have treated themselves and have expected others to treat them as being beyond and above all possible check from law.

It is especially necessary to secure to the representatives of the national government full power to deal with the great corporations engaged in interstate commerce, and above all,

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Mora Items

Mora, Mo., Jan. 28.
Miss Anna Schwensen was shopping in Cole Camp Friday.
My Mahken and family were Mora visitors Monday.
Regular preaching services at Point Pleasant Sunday, February 2d.
John M. Moss returned to Warsaw Monday morning, after a Sunday visit with his family.
Mr. and Mrs. John Mahken dined Sunday with D. Mahken and wife.
John L. Benjamin and wife visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Damp.
E. H. Cordes was a business visitor here Monday.
Miss Katy Von Holten spent one night the past week with her sister, Mrs. Moss.
Ed Hobbin loaded a car of hay at this place Saturday.

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Houstonia Items

Houstonia, Mo., Jan. 28. J. T. Patterson made a business trip to Kansas City Tuesday.

H. A. Longan and wife visited C. L. Hanley and family in Sedalia Sunday.

Gustin Smith and wife visited John Cooper and family in Clifton City Sunday and Monday.

The I. O. O. F. lodge entertained their lodge friends Tuesday night at the city hall. A nice lunch was served.

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Wanted—Stoves to repair; repairs for any old stove.—Cohen, Main and Lamine. Both 'phones.

To Exchange—Fine 160 acre Pettis county farm for Sedalia property. "C. W. C." care Democrat-Sentinel.

HELP WANTED—Male

Wanted—First-class janitor to take charge of college rooms. C. W. Robbins, Central Business college.

Wanted—Men to learn barber trade; will equip shop for you or furnish positions, few weeks completes, constant practice, careful instructions, tools given, Saturday wages, diplomas granted.—Moler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo.

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Wanted—For U. S. army able bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer, 100 Ohio street, Sedalia, Mo., or 728 Main street, Kansas City, Mo.

HELP WANTED—Female

Wanted—Elderly woman or girl for general housework in country; good wages. Apply 1002 West Broadway or telephone Bell 1230-Ash.

Spring, spent Sunday here, visiting Mrs. Emma Longan.

Mrs. Ellen Porter left Monday with her son, Sherman, for Pueblo, Colo., where she will make her home with her son.

Mel Coats transacted business in Sedalia Tuesday.

Rev. S. S. Martin, of Sedalia, delivered a lecture on temperance here at the Methodist church Monday evening.

Mrs. T. C. McConnell entertained the Twentieth Century club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. B. F. Prigmore is spending several days in town visiting her sister, Mrs. F. H. Tuck.

Mrs. Frank Sewell entertained Mrs. B. F. Prigmore, Mrs. Hart Tuck and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Warren at dinner Tuesday.

Miss Ella Wilson came down from Kansas City last Thursday night to attend the funeral of her cousin, Miss Addie Porter, who was buried Friday in Sedalia. Miss Wilson visited the rest of the week with her mother, Mrs. Wilson.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe.

La grippe coughs are dangerous, as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.

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MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT

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with the great interstate common carriers. Our people should clearly recognize that while there are difficulties in any course of conduct to be followed in dealing with these great corporations, these difficulties must be faced, and one of three courses followed.

The first course is to abandon all effort to oversee and control their actions in the interest of the general public and to permit a return to the utter lack of control which would obtain if they were left to the common law. I do not for one moment believe that our people would tolerate this position. The extraordinary growth of modern industrialism has rendered the common law, which grew up under and was adapted to deal with totally different conditions, in many respects inadequate to deal with the new conditions. These new conditions make it necessary to shackle cunning as in the past we have shackled force. The vast individual and corporate fortunes, the vast combinations of capital, which have marked the development of our industrial system, create new conditions and necessitate a change from the old attitude of the state and the nation toward the rules regulating the acquisition and untrammeled business use of property, in order both that property may be adequately protected, and that at the same time those who hold it may be prevented from wrongdoing.

The second and third courses are to have the regulation undertaken either by the nation or by the states. Of course in any event both the national government and the several state governments must do each its part, and each can do a certain amount that the other can not do, while the other really satisfactory results must be obtained by the representatives of the national and state governments working heartily together within their respective spheres. But in my judgment thoroughgoing and satisfactory control can in the end only be obtained by the action of the national government, for almost all corporations of enormous wealth—that is, corporations which it is especially desirable to control—are engaged in interstate commerce, and derive their power and their importance not from that portion of their business which is intrastate, but from the interstate business. It is not easy always to decide just where the line of demarcation between the two kinds of business falls. This line must ultimately be drawn by the federal courts. Much of the effort to secure adequate control of the great corporations by state action has been wise and effective, but much of it has been either; for when the effort is made to accomplish by the action of the state what can only be accomplished by the action of the nation, the result can only be disappointment, and in the end the law will probably be declared unconstitutional. So likewise in the national arena, we who believe in the measures herein advocated are hampered and not aided by the extremists who advocate action so violent that it would either be useless or else would cause more mischief than it would remedy.

Laying Up a Day of Wrath.

It can not too strongly be insisted that the defenders and apologists of the great corporations, who have sought in the past and still seek to prevent adequate action by the federal government to control these great corporations, are not only proving false to the people, but are laying up a day of wrath for the great corporations themselves. The nation will not tolerate an utter lack of control over very wealthy men of enormous power in the industrial, and therefore in the social, lives of all our people, some of whom have shown themselves cynically and brutally indifferent to the interests of the people; and if the congress does not act, with good tempered and sensible but resolute thoroughness, in cutting out the evils and in providing an effective supervision, the result is certain to be action on the part of the separate states, sometimes wise, sometimes ill-judged and extreme, sometimes unjust and damaging to the railroads or other corporations, more often ineffective from every standpoint, because the federal courts declare it unconstitutional.

The Recent Panic.

We have just passed through two months of acute financial stress. At any such time it is a sad fact that entirely innocent people suffer from no fault of their own; and everyone must feel the keenest sympathy for the large body of honest business men, of honest investors, of honest workmen, who suffer because involved in a crash for which they are in no way responsible. At such a time there is a natural tendency on the part of many men to feel gloomy and frightened at the outlook; but there is no justification for this feel-

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease. Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physicians, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system.

What To Do. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and sealing pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes.

You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention this paper and don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y.

ing. There is no nation so absolutely sure of ultimate success as ours. Of course we shall succeed. Ours is a nation of masterful energy, with a continent for its domain, and it feels within its veins the thrill which comes to those who know that they possess the future. We are not cast down by the fear of failure. We are upheld by the confident hope of ultimate triumph. The wrongs that exist are to be corrected; but they in no way justify doubt as to the final outcome, doubt as to the great ma-

Time Table



MISSOURI PACIFIC.

No. Arr.	Going East.	Depart
4	12:15...St. L. Exp...	12:20 a.m.
12	2:10 a.m..St. L. Lim.	2:15 a.m.
10	2:35 a.m..St. L. Lim.	2:40 a.m.
22	10:30 a.m..Local Pass.	10:40 a.m.
2	1:00 p.m..St. L. Sp'cl.	1:05 p.m.
8	4:25 p.m..Mail & Exp.	4:30 p.m.
38	9:10 p.m..K. C. Accom.	

Eastbound local freight departs from yards at 7:15 a. m.

No. Arr.	Going West.	Depart
9	1:45...Joplin Lim.	1:50 a.m.
3	4:00 a.m..Colo. Exp.	4:05 a.m.
11	4:45 a.m..K. C. St. L. Lim	4:50 a.m.
37	.....Local Pass.	3:10 p.m.
21	2:40 p.m..Local Pass.	2:50 p.m.
1	2:30 p.m..Col. & St. L. Spe.	2:35 p.m.

Westbound local freight departs from station at 7:50 a. m.

No. Arr.	Going South.	Depart
622	Passenger, arr....	10:30 a.m.
624	Passenger, arr....	9:45 p.m.
623	Passenger, dep....	5:15 a.m.
621	Passenger, dep....	3:10 p.m.
691	Local Fr't, dep....	6:40 a.m.
696	Local Fr't, arr....	2:30 p.m.

No. Arr.	Going North.	Depart
643	Passenger, arr....	7:15 a.m.
644	Passenger, arr....	2:25 p.m.



MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.

No. Arr.	Going South.	Depart
5	6:25 p.m..Local Pass.	6:50 p.m.
5	8:50 a.m..Local Pass.	9:10 a.m.
5	3:17 a.m..Flyer	3:22 a.m.
511	.....Local Freight	7:10 a.m.

No. Arr.	Going North.	Depart
6	12:35 a.m..Flyer	12:40 a.m.
504	.....Da. Except Sun.	6:15 p.m.
2	8:25 a.m..Local Pass.	8:50 a.m.
4	3:05 p.m..Local Pass.	8:30 p.m.

No. Arr.	Going East.	Depart
715	.....Da. Except Sun.	8:35 a.m.
451	.....Da. Except Sun.	2:00 p.m.

35 Trains In and Out of Sedalia Every 24 Hours

terial prosperity of the future, or of the lofty spiritual life which is to be built upon that prosperity as a foundation. No misdeeds done in the present must be permitted to shroud from our eyes the glorious future of the nation; but because of this very fact it behooves us never to swerve from our resolute purpose to cut out wrongdoing and uphold what is right.

I do not for a moment believe that the actions of this administration have brought on business distress; so far as this is due to local and not world-wide causes, and to the actions of any particular individuals, it is due to the speculative folly and flagrant dishonesty of a few men of great wealth, who seek to shield themselves from the effects of their own wrongdoing by ascribing its results to the actions of those who have sought to put a stop to the wrongdoing. But if it were true that to cut out rottenness from the body politic meant a momentary check to an unhealthy seeming prosperity, I should not for a moment hesitate to put the knife to the corruption. On behalf of all our people, on behalf no less of the honest man who earns each day's livelihood by that day's sweat of his brow, it is necessary to insist upon honesty in business and politics alike, in all walks of life, in big things and in little things; upon just and fair dealing as between man and man. Those who demand this are striving for the right in the spirit of Abraham Lincoln when he said:

"Fondly do we hope, fervently do we pray, that this mighty scourge may speedily pass away. Yet, if God wills that it continue until all the wealth piled by the bondsmen's two hundred and fifty years of unrequited toil shall be sunk, and until every drop of blood drawn with the lash shall be paid by another drawn with the sword, as was said three thousand years ago, so still must be said, 'The judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.'"

"With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in."

In the work we of this generation are in, there is, thanks be to the Almighty, no danger of bloodshed and no use for the sword; but there is grave need of those stern qualities shown alike by the men of the north and the men of the south in the dark days when each valiantly battled for the light as it was given each to see the light. Their spirit should be our spirit, as we strive to bring nearer the day when greed and trickery and cunning shall be trampled under feet by those who fight for the righteousness that exalteth a nation.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT,
The White House, January 31, 1908.

How to Avoid Pneumonia.

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and expels the cold from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow packages, Arlington Pharmacy.

Socialist City Convention.

A city convention of the socialist party is hereby called to convene at Tiltbury hall, Fifth and Engineer streets, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Saturday, February 1, 1908, to nominate candidates for city offices and members of the school board to be voted for at the ensuing city election, to be held in the city of Sedalia, Mo., April 7, 1908.

R. H. McQUIDDY, Chairman.
WM. TATTERSHALL, Sec'y.
By order of the city central committee Sedalia socialist party.

Will Talk for a College.

Speaking at the Epworth church Dr. George B. Thomas, president of Carleton college, of Farmington, Mo., will speak in the interest of the school tomorrow, Saturday, February 1, at 7:30 o'clock.

In New Quarters.

Dr. E. Herrick, the veterinary surgeon, is now located at 218 South Osage street in the Ritter barns. He will in addition to his profession do a general feed and wagon yard business. His new location affords the best of facilities and prompt and reliable service is assured every patron. Bell phone 463.

The Nehemgar Club.

Miss Eunice Couseley, of the High school faculty, read a splendid paper at last night's meeting of the Nehemgar club, her subject being, "Shakespeare's Methods of Gaining and Holding the Interest of His Readers."

Coal, Coal, Coal—good Illinois Lump and Nut, Kansas deep shaft nut; a good furnace and fair range coal at \$2.50.—Huston Coal Co. Both phones 157.

HON. CHAS. J. BONAPARTE.

He Advocates a Strenuous Policy of Ship Building for the Navy.



Lamonte Items

Lamonte, Mo., Jan. 29. J. R. Wade was transacting business in Sedalia Tuesday.

J. R. Clark went to Kansas City Tuesday morning to attend the lumbermen's convention. He will be gone several days.

Clark Fisher, of Blackwater township, left Wednesday morning for Blairtown to visit his brother.

Bert Means was a visitor to the county seat Tuesday. The wedding of Mr. A. J. Thompson and Miss Ella Sullivan was solemnized at the Catholic church in this city at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, the pastor, Rev. Fr. Kilkenny, of Warrensburg, officiating. The young couple will make their home near this place.

Monday was Harry Yankee's birthday, and when he went home at noon he was agreeably surprised to find a company of relatives and an overburdened table. Those present were: W. F. Yankee and wife, Ernest Yankee, Miss Vallie Yankee, Reuben Reeves and wife and Charles Davis. Harry says he would not mind having two birthdays each year.

J. R. Clark sold a nice saddle and harness-horse Tuesday to Johnson & Kelly, of Higginsville, Mo., for \$190.

R. J. Rogers, of Sedalia, has rented

property here and will move his family in a few days.

The 1-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson, died Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock of membranous croup, at their home in the western part of Lamonte.

T. J. Hughes and family left this morning for Sedalia, where they will reside in the future.

Thomas Terry, Albert Fleming and C. C. Clinegan were transacting business in Sedalia Wednesday.

Deputy Sheriff Mel Henderson, of Sedalia, was here Monday on legal business.

Judge Harry Conway, of Warrensburg, was attending to business matters here Tuesday.

Mrs. John Taylor left Tuesday for a short visit with relatives and friends at Knob Noster.

Mrs. Pearce and baby arrived on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Pearce has been here about three weeks.

Mrs. J. Dorsey and little daughter, of Houstonia, came over Monday afternoon for a short visit with A. F. Wimer and wife.

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THIS WEEK WE OFFER YOU:

Have you tried our Koban coffee? If not, try it once and compare it with what you are now paying 25c for. Per lb.20c
Fine dill pickles, per doz.15c
Sweet mixed pickles, per qt.25c
Come and see us: we will save you money and will give you first-class goods.
Michigan salt; special this week, per barrel\$1.25
Satisfaction guaranteed.



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15 DAYS

A SALE THAT WILL
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THROUGH
THE TANGLED MESHES
OF COMPETITION,
ANNIHILATING HIGH
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THE BATTLE RAGES FOR THE MASSES!

A Chance of A Lifetime to Save Money

Never in the history of this county have people had the opportunity of buying new high-grade merchandise at such ruinous prices. It will be the greatest upheaval of bargains within the walls of this city since she came on earth. The whole town will be awake; we are going to raise the roof if necessary and let in the sunshine. We propose to pour out to the people in the next ten days commencing at 9 o'clock

SATURDAY, FEB. 1 And Ending FEBRUARY 15

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Worth of the newest high grade merchandise in this community to sell at the lowest prices the people ever saw. There is not to be an item held in reserve with us. We are doing this in order to bring thousands of people here. It will pay them. We have sent word to them and they will come and see the greatest change they ever saw before in Sedalia. When they enter our doors they will see the wheels of commerce rolling as they never rolled before. The big red tickets and blue pencil mark of price destruction on every item in the big store will sight them to bargains such as they never saw before. You will see big 1c tickets on 5c articles, 9c tickets on 20c articles, 19c tickets on 25 and 35c articles, and so on throughout the house.

MARK THE HOUR

9 o'Clock

SHARP

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Stock Now In the Hands of the Kansas City Sales Company to Sell in 15 Days
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COME!

A Sweeping Landslide of Bargains; Read These Mute But Crushing Prices:

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If you want calico it is a certainty you will come to us to buy it.</p> <p>SHOES! SHOES!! SHOES!!!</p> <p>For Men, Women and Children at Less Than Manufacturers cost.</p> <p>\$1.70 Ladies' Pongola Patent Tips now.....98c</p> <p>\$2.00 Ladies' Fine Kid Shoes now.....1.39</p> <p>\$2.50 and \$3.00 Fine Kid Shoes now.....1.98</p> <p>\$1.50 Men's Kid Work Shoes now.....1.19</p> <p>\$2.00 Men's Calf Shoes now.....1.48</p> <p>\$3.00 Men's Fine Kid and Box Calf Shoes.....1.98</p> <p>\$3.50 Men's Fine Kid and Box Calf Shoes.....2.98</p>	<p>MEN'S AND LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS.</p> <p>Ladies 5c Handkerchiefs now.....2c</p> <p>Ladies' 6c Handkerchiefs now.....3c</p> <p>Ladies' 8c Handkerchiefs now.....4c</p> <p>Ladies' 10c Handkerchiefs now.....6c</p> <p>Ladies' 15c Handkerchiefs now.....8c</p> <p>Men's Red 10c Handkerchiefs now.....7c</p> <p>Men's White 10c Handkerchiefs now.....6c</p> <p>OUTING FLANNEL.</p> <p>\$1.3c Outing now.....5c</p> <p>10c Outing for.....7c</p> <p>10c Shirting.....7c</p> <p>FILO EMBROIDERY SILK FLOSS.</p> <p>2 skeins for.....5c</p> <p>MEN'S DUCK COATS.</p> <p>\$1.25 values for.....98c</p> <p>MEN'S CORDUROY COATS.</p> <p>\$2.50 values.....1.98</p> <p>FINE TABLE LINENS.</p> <p>Bought at 60c on the dollar from Denny, Lane & Co., New York's largest importers of table linen. We are going to sell them as we bought them.</p> <p>35c Table Damask, bleached, now, yard.....25c</p> <p>75c Table Damask, bleached, now, yard.....48c</p> <p>85c Table Damask, bleached, now, yard.....69c</p> <p>\$1.00 All Linen Damask, bleached, now, yard.....76c</p> <p>\$1.50 All Linen Damask, 72 inches wide.....89c</p>	<p>BLANKETS AND COMFORTS.</p> <p>Cut Deep.</p> <p>75c value Blankets.....49c</p> <p>\$1.25 value Blankets.....89c</p> <p>\$1.50 value Blankets.....1.19</p> <p>\$1.25 Comforts.....79c</p> <p>\$1.50 Comforts.....98c</p> <p>LADIES' SKIRTS.</p> <p>Cut Deep. Less Than Cost of Goods.</p> <p>25 Skirts that sold for \$3, \$4 and up to \$6; Sale price.....\$2.48</p> <p>10 Skirts that sold for \$3.50; sale price.....\$1.48</p> <p>This lot won't last long. Come early and get your choice.</p> <p>CUT TO THE VERY LOWEST.</p> <p>Men's Fall Hats.</p> <p>\$2.00 values for.....98c</p> <p>\$1.50 values for.....79c</p> <p>\$1.00 values for.....49c</p> <p>SUSPENDERS.</p> <p>For Men and Boys, at Manufacturers' Cost and Less.</p> <p>10c Suspenders now.....6c</p> <p>15c Suspenders now.....8c</p> <p>20c Suspenders now.....14c</p> <p>25c Suspenders now.....19c</p>	<p>BED SPREADS CUT DEEP.</p> <p>\$1.00 value, good size, now.....69c</p> <p>\$1.50 value, extra nice and large size, now.....98c</p> <p>\$2.00 value, extra nice and large size, now.....1.39</p> <p>\$2.50 value, heavy cut corners and fringed now.....1.69</p> <p>EXTRA! EXTRA!!</p> <p>7c Towels now.....3c</p> <p>8c Towels now.....4c</p> <p>10c Towels now.....7c</p> <p>15c Towels now.....9c</p> <p>20c Towels now.....12c</p> <p>LACE CURTAINS CUT TO THE QUICK.</p> <p>\$1.50 kind, 3 1/2 yards long, now.....98c</p> <p>\$2.50 kind, 3 1/2 yards long, now.....1.50</p> <p>25c Fancy Oilcloth now, the yard.....15c</p> <p>Men's Work Shirts for less than cost of cloth; 50c and 60c kind now.....39c</p> <p>50 LADIES' COATS.</p> <p>Look! Think! Act Quick!</p> <p>Just think! \$8.00 Coats for.....\$1.98</p> <p>Come early and get your pick.</p> <p>10 YARDS OF BEST CALICO, 10c.</p> <p>With every \$5 purchase in our store we will give you 10 yards of best calico for 10c.</p>
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Our Store Will Be Closed Two Full Days to Mark the Stock Down. Store Closed Thursday and Friday, January 30 and 31, to Mark the Stock Down.

Start! Ready! Go! The great race to this Merchandise Massacre commences Saturday, February 1, at 9 o'clock a. m. Pages could not begin to describe the hundreds of items on sale but not advertised. The entire colossal stock participates. No reserve, no limit—all to go. Pandemonium will reign supreme. Your dollars will do double duty here. Mark the hour; turn in at the sign—they tell the story. **Fare paid to purchasers of \$10.00 and over in a radius of 10 miles. Fare paid to purchasers of \$15.00 and over in a radius of 15 miles. Now come! Don't delay! The cash must come. No matter how much loss to ourselves, stock must go. Notice—No goods sent on approval. Your money back on return of goods in good shape. No goods exchanged on Saturday.**

ALL SALES MUST BE CASH

In justice to yourselves and family you cannot afford to miss this greatest of all sacrifice sales

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1

NOTICE—Merchants from country towns wishing to buy a portion of this fine stock at the same prices listed in this circular will be waited on only between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock every morning and goods packed and shipped the following day.